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WAS GOOD LECTURE

PROF. ARTHUR DILLINGER SPOKE TO THE MOTHERS' CIRCLE.

GOOD MUSICAL NUMBERS

Conservation of American Manhood and Womanhood by Stopping Stream of Social Impurity.

The lecture in the First Presbyterian church Friday evening, under the auspices of the Mothers' Circle, was not largely attended, but it was an appreciative audience, and the music and the lecturer, Rev. J. Arthur Dillinger, of Des Moines, and his lecture, reminded those present of the excellent things at the Chautauqua just closed.

Rev. Dillinger, though quite a young man, shows a knowledge and grasp of the things he spoke of that men of mature years do well to know and deal with.

Before the lecture two excellent musical numbers were given. Mrs. D. J. Thomas sang two numbers by Carrie Jacobs Bond, "Shadows" and "I Love You Truly," with piano accompaniment by her sister, Miss Mary Shaaber. Prof. W. A. Robertson gave two violin numbers, "Cavaleira Rusticana," by Mascagni, and "Wild Rose" by MacDowell, with piano accompaniment by Miss Lottie Perrin.

Mrs. Berney Harris, who presided in the absence of Mrs. Eugene Ogden, the president, introduced the speaker, Mr. Dillinger, who announced his subject, "The Conservation of American Manhood and Womanhood." His lecture was instructive and thoughtful and should have been heard by a much larger audience. He said in part:

Tonight I speak in the interest of boys and girls, the future man and woman. I shall attack some evils which discount manhood and womanhood. I shall lay great emphasis on social impurity. The Mississippi river drains the central part of the United States; the Mississippi could not be but for the tributaries running into it. Social impurity is like the father of waters, it could not be except for the different vices and sins that contribute to its onward course. If I were to tell you how the Mississippi is made I would tell you of the Red river, the Missouri, the Ohio, the Wisconsin and many others. If I tell you of the social evil I shall tell you of the evils that make impurity, Where there is an effect there is a cause. Tonight we shall deal with causes.

The government has been making great strides toward the conservation of our national resources. We reclaim the desert by building great dams, by tunneling under mountains and by constructing great ditches. We are eager to find ways by which the agricultural products can be doubled. We are experimenting with the dairy business, the hog business, the horse business. Our aim is to develop our natural resources so that our country will produce enough to feed and clothe 100,000,000 people. Until recent months we have developed every resource to the neglect of the boy and girl. Some one has said that the twentieth century will be the one in which the child shall be found. This is true, for we are already making the search. The quest began in 1902, when the international congress for the study and prevention of the diseases growing out of the social evil met at Brussels. The deliberations of this gathering crystallized into a strong conviction for drastic measures to be taken for the prevention. The congress recommended that societies be organized in all the civilized nations. Such societies have been organized in Germany, France, Holland and other European countries. The American society was organized in New York in 1905. There are now more than twenty branch societies organized in the different states of the Union. The need of the work is so great that ministers, lawyers, physicians, clubs such as the Mothers' club, are taking it up. Magazines and books are beginning to publish the facts to the world. All over the country lecturers are telling the people the awful results of the sin. Our boys and girls are worth too much for them to be neglected.

Their worth—There are over 2,000,000 children born every year in the United States. Of this number we lose over 300,000. Half this number dies of preventable diseases. The government is literally murdering 150,000 children because she has refused to care for them properly. A professor in the University of Pennsylvania has made a calculation that every child has a potential value of $2,896. The total value, then, of our child crop is worth in dollars and cents just $5,792,000,000. The total corn crop is not worth much over $1,750,000,000. The child crop is worth, then, $4,072,000,000 more.

Why save every other crop when the child crop is the greatest. What will be the need of everything saved except the child? If we allow the child to go on undeveloped our nation will fall. Then what is our material wealth worth?

What is being done?—Many of our schools are putting in courses in sex hygiene and a competent teacher is in charge. Lecturers are being brought to the schools, such as Dr. Hall, who was brought twice to the State Normal last winter. Ah! the Normal is too far advanced. I know personally young men who attended the Normal who had gone too far. The high school? No, not there, but back in the grades, where the child gets the first impressions of life, is the place for this education. Yes, back of that many times, The father and the mother in the home in love and confidence should talk these things over.

Lastly, votes for women. We can better our marriage laws and our factory laws, and the literature and other evils by legislation. Education is the key, but we must educate the popular mind. Let it be crystallized at the polls. Education and legislation are two things that go together. Woman with her sense of purity will vote right because she thinks right.

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$449,593,913 IN BANKS.

Missouri is Enjoying a Very Prosperous Year, According to the Bank Statements.

That Missouri is enjoying a very prosperous year, regardless of the uncertainties in financial circles, which are supposed to be created by a presidential campaign, is shown in a statement issued by Bank Commissioner John E. Swanger, based on a call made for June 14 last, on the condition of banks and trust companies, the returns for which have just been compiled.

There were 1,364 such institutions in the state, of which 31 were private banks, 1,147 incorporated banks, 52 trust companies and 134 national banks, with resources amounting to $831,137,492.71. When the individual deposits, time certificates of deposit, demand certificates and cashier's checks and saving deposits are added together it is found that there was held by the banks and trust companies $449,593,973 subject to call by depositors, which, if divided among the population of Missouri, would give every man, woman and child in the state $136.51.

It must be remembered that these figures do not include the money on deposit in the various postal savings banks in Missouri over which the United States alone has authority, amounting to several million dollars.

Off on Big Trip.

G. B. Holmes, Sr., left Saturday morning for French Lick Springs, Ind., on a ten days' trip. He went by way of Kansas City, and will leave there Sunday on a special train that will carry representatives of the North American Insurance company for the Kansas City district, embracing Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska and Omaha. It is expected that 500 agents will be present at the meeting held in Indiana. About 125 of them will be from the Kansas City district. Mr. Holmes was given this trip by his company in recognition of his work here in the last eight months. He has also won three cash prizes of $150 since he began work with the company in February.

Attended Maitland Fair.

Miss Gwendolyn Fuller of Bolckow and her guest, Miss Frances Lloyd of Barnard spent Thursday and Friday in Maryville as guests of Miss Fuller's cousins, Mrs. S. G. Selecman and Mrs. N. F. Humber. The young ladies were on their way home from the Mait'and fair.

To Address Teachers.

Prof. Frank H. Shepherd of the State Normal went to Albany Saturday to address the teachers' meeting on "Practical Manual Training in Rural Schools."

Was in Maryville.

O. R. Geyer of Des Moines, who has been visiting at Graham with home folks, was in Maryville Saturday.

Sunday Services at Local Churches

M. E. Church, South.

Regular services Sunday. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Morning worship at 10:45 a. m. and evening worship at 8 o'clock with sermons by the pastor, Rev. W. J. Parvin. Epworth League at 7 o'clock.

First Presbyterian Church.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. and Christian Endeavor at 7 o'clock p. m. will be the only services held at the First Presbyterian church Sunday. The pastor, Rev. S. D. Harkness, is still enjoying his vacation.

First M. E. Church.

Regular services Sunday. Sunday school at 9:30. No league service in the evening. Morning and evening worship with sermons by the pastor, Dr. J. S. Ford. Miss Marie Jones will sing both at the morning and evening services.

First Baptist Church.

"Christ Pre-eminent" is the subject for the sermon at 11 o'clock a. m., by the pastor, Rev. Lee Harrel. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., as usual. Preaching as usual at 8 p. m. B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. The public is cordially invited to all these services.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

The subject for the lesson-sermon at 11 a. m. is "Mind." Mrs. D. J. Thomas will sing "Love Never Fails," by Frederick Root, at this service. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 8 o'clock. Everyone is welcome to attend all these services.

Christian Church.

Regular preaching services at 10:45 and 8 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. C. J. Miller. Bible school at 9:30. Endeavor at 7 p. m. Morning subject, "The Divine Measuring Rod." Evening subject, "The Life of David." Everyone invited to attend these services. Special music at both services.

DEATH OF JOSEPH FAUST.

Burlington Junction Man Passed Away Friday Evening After Long Illness.

The funeral services for Joseph Faust, an old resident of Burlington Junction, who died at his home in that place Friday evening about 7 o'clock, will be held Sunday afternoon. Mr. Faust is survived by his wife and two daughters, Misses Marie and Cynthia Faust, who live at home, and two children who live at such a distance that they will be unable to come in time for the funeral.

TO BE ON EXHIBIT AT DES MOINES

Herd Bull of C. D. Bellows to Be at Iowa State Fair Next Week and at Lincoln, Neb.

C. D. Bellows will leave Sunday for Des Moines, where he will attend the Iowa state fair. He will have on exhibition at the fair his herd bull, Diamond Goods, and after the fair at Des Moines will take him to Lincoln, Neb., where the bull will be on exhibition.

PRESENTED HOUSE AND LOT.

A Nice Present Received Friday by Mrs. Bert Moore From Her Mother, Mrs. D. T. Garrett.

Mrs. Bert Moore of this city received Friday a present of a nice house and lot from her mother, Mrs. D. T. Garrett of Burlington Junction. The property was purchased by Mrs. Garrett from Irvin Bartram, and is located on South Market street.

Have Guests From Ohio.

Mrs. Aura Smiley and Miss Ethel McFarland of Mt. Gilead, O., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Farmer. Miss McFarland is a niece of Mrs. Farmer. The visitors will be in Maryville until Monday. They stopped in the city on their way home from an extended trip through the west, leaving their home July 2 over the Canadian Pacific railway for Vancouver islands, and going from Victoria to Seattle and the principal cities on the coast to Los Angeles, and made the trip to Maryville by way of Denver, Col.

Guests From Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh H. Lewis of Beardstown, Ill., arrived in Maryville Saturday morning on a visit to Mr. Lewis' brother, M. A. Lewis, and sister, Mrs. W. F. Smith.

Attend the Maryville Business College. It prepares for life. Opens Sept. 3.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

His Sixth Birthday.

Mrs. Wilbur C. Smith entertained a few friends of her son, Forest, Friday afternoon to observe his sixth birthday anniversary. Those present were Alice and Louise Berry, Forest Martin and the honor guest.

Picnic at Hastings Lake.

The S. S. W. club enjoyed a picnic at Hastings lake Friday afternoon, chaperoned by Mrs. Anderson Craig. The other picnickers were Amy and Ruth Walker, Lucile Holmes, Louise Shenkel, Dorothy McDonald, Cecil Fraser and Gladys Owen.

A Beautiful Present.

Saturday, August 24, is the twentieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Frank of this city. In celebration of the day Mr. Frank presented Mrs. Frank with a Hobart M. Cable player piano, which was a complete surprise to the recipient.

Saturday Evening Dinner.

Mrs. N. F. Humber and Mrs. F. J. Yeomans will entertain at 6 o'clock dinner at Mrs. Yeomans' home, 320 East Edward street. Their guests will include Mrs. C. W. Thorp, Mrs. Florence Brockman and daughter, Miss Thelma Brockman of Liberty, Mo. who are guests of the Thorp family.

Friday Evening Dinner.

Mrs. H. T. Crane was hostess of a small dinner party Friday evening at 6 o'clock, complimentary to Mr. Homer Croy of New York, who is visiting in the city. The members of the party were schoolmates in Maryville, and included Mr. Croy, Miss Grace Langan, Mr. Will G. Sawyers and Mrs. Crane's daughter, Mrs. Edward T. Rasmussen of Riverton, Neb.

Auto Parties to Maitland.

Several auto parties from Maryville attended the Maitland fair Thursday. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hutton and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wadley; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wallis, Jr., and Mrs. Wallis' cousin, Miss Irene Hughey of Kansas City; Mr. Will Montgomery, Mr. Bruce Montgomery, Miss Ruth Montgomery, Dr. E. C. Braniger, F. R. Marcell and Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Reuillard.

Entertained by Mrs. Claud Moore.

The Dew Drop Inn club was entertained by Mrs. Claud Moore Wednesday afternoon. Not many were present, but those who were spent a delightful social afternoon. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. Those present were Mrs. John Sprague, Mrs. Fletcher Dalby, Mrs. Elmer Baker, and the hostess. The next meeting will be in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Oliver Jones. Subject for study, "Parliamentary Law." All members are urged to be present at the next meeting as there is a business matter needing their attention.

Theater Party and Dance.

Miss Martha Koch entertained a small company of friends with a theater party and dance Friday evening. After the theater, the party went to her home, on East Fourth street, where a dance and luncheon was enjoyed. Those in the company were Miss Carrie Margaret Baker, Mr. Clyde Hutton, Mr. Lieber Holmes, Miss Eleanor Smith, Mr. Andy Criss Cummins, Miss Katherine Carpenter, Miss Frances Keeler, Mr. Eugene Cummins, Miss Mildred Robinson, Mr. Edward Gray, Mr. Frank Cummins, Miss Ora Barmann, Miss Esther Shoemaker, Mr. Oliver Bovard, Mr. Herschel Colbert.

Farewell to Mrs. Irwin.

The members of the P. E. O. chapter entertained informally at dominoes Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. Allender, as a courtesy to Mrs. Harry Irwin, who will leave in a few days for her new home in Los Angeles, Cal. Four tables were arranged for the game. Mrs. N. C. Covey won the prize, a crystal basket containing lavender asters. The honor guest was presented a silver spoon. Those present were Mrs. Irwin, Mrs. Allender, Mrs. J. E. Bailey, Mrs. N. C. Covey, Mrs. J. C. Denham, Mrs. Frank Garrett, Mrs. J. D. Richey, Miss Nelle Conrad, Miss Myrtle Eckles, Miss Mary Evans, Miss Carrie Hopkins, Miss Nelle Hudson, Miss Alice Martin, Miss Maud McMillan, Miss Bertha Ritze, Miss Stella Smith, Miss Mabel Todd.

Miss Gladys Owen went to Ravenwood Saturday to visit over Sunday with Miss Fay Bishop.

WILL BE A LONG BALLOT.

But People Should Be Sure to Vote for the Mill Tax Amendment.

At the November election Missourians will confront an enormously long ballot, which will strike confusion in the minds of the timid. In addition to the list of nominees for office is appended a set of constitutional amendments to be voted upon. There are many of these amendments which may not appeal to the farmer. Will he hesitate at the polls to read each of them? If he is not familiar with them he will be compelled to scratch either yes or no without any reference as to what their success or defeat means to him. That some amendments which are not beneficial to the farmers may be defeated, voters in some districts are being urged to scratch yes on every constitutional amendment because it is known he is not informed well enough to vote intelligently. This is the gravest mistake that ignorance can make. With the rural districts of the state so deplorably in need of adequate schools it would be more than a crime to defeat the school mill tax amendment through such grossly ignorant actions. The adoption of this amendment means the establishment of the state in its rightful position. As it is it now appears thirtieth in the list of states in proportion to its per capita tax for school maintenance. It is due the children that ample school facilities be given them. It is theirs by right of birth under the Stars and Stripes. Ighorance should not be permitted to defeat them of this right, and only ignorance can defeat the school mill tax.

RACE DIDN'T COST ANYTHING.

Dr. Wm. Miles Wallis, Jr., Another Candidate That Didn't Spend Any Money in the Campaign.

Dr. Wm. Miles Wallis, Jr., who secured the Democratic nomination for coroner, filed his campaign expense affidavit Saturday morning. No money was spent by him to secure the nomination. Dr. Wallis had no opposition at the primary.

Death of Skidmore Woman.

Mrs. W. A. Mast died at Skidmore at 8 o'clock Wednesday night, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Clark. Tuberculosis, from which Mrs. Mast had suffered for several months, was the cause of death. She had steadily grown worse recently, and a trip west did her no good.

She is survived by her husband, two small sons and her parents. The funeral was held Friday.

Will Attend Convention.

R. G. Koch of this city left Saturday for Detroit, Mich., to attend the National Retail Monument Dealers' association, which meets in that city next Thursday. Mr. Koch will visit St. Louis, Batesville, Ark., and Chicago before going to Detroit. After the convention he will go to Zanesville, O., to visit his father, R. H. Koch. Mr. Koch will return to Maryville about September 15.

Guests From Illinois.

Mrs. Lizzie Ebelsizer and Miss Mabel Mustain of Blandinsville, Ill., arrived in Maryville Saturday morning for a few days' visit with Mrs. Ebelsizer's sister, Mrs. Thomas Hutchinson. The visitors are returning home from an extended trip in the west.

Visiting in Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Allen and son of Evanston, Ill., who have been in the city a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery and other relatives, went to Hopkins Saturday for a brief visit with friends and relatives in their former home.

Returned to Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Bartholomew of Lincoln, Neb., who have been guests at the home of Mrs. Bartholomew's sister, Mrs. Phillip Strauch, living six miles southwest of the city, left for their home Saturday morning.

On Visit in Kansas.

Mrs. George Hammond and daughters left Friday for Linden, Kan., to visit the family of Mr. Hammond's brother, Q. A. Gilmore, who moved to that country a year or so ago from Nodaway county.

Visiting Her Son.

Mrs. Mary Bennett and grandson, Bennett French, went to Bolckow Friday evening for a few days' visit with Mrs. Bennett's son, Editor J. I. Bennett of the Bolckow Herald.

Returned From Kansas.

Attorney M. E. Ford returned Friday night from a few weeks' visit in Sycamore Springs, Kan.

A BIG GRAIN YIELD

CHAS. ECKERT'S RYE CROP AVERAGED 57 BUSHELS PER ACRE.

BIGGEST YIELD OF OATS

Yet Reported Won by W. B. Gex—A 200-Acre Wheat Crop Averages 30 Bushels to the Acre.

The largest rye field yet reported in Nodaway county was by Charles Eckert of this city, who threshed thirty acres of rye this week which made fifty-seven bushels to the acre. This is certainly a good yield of rye, when last year the average yield in this part of the state was only fifteen bushels to the acre. Lester Hood of near Orrsburg had a yield of forty-three and a half bushels to the acre, and he had fifteen acres of it.

The grain crops are something unusual this year. In many vicinities of the county there has never been a threshing crew this summer.

The largest oats yield yet reported is by W. B. Gex, who got eighty-one bushels to the acre from an eleven-acre field. The largest wheat yield was reported by Henry Russell of Hopkins, who had fifty-one and a half bushels to the acre.

Charles Eckert threshed his oats this week and they averaged seventy-five bushels to the acre. Both his rye and oats were put in with a drill.

Roland Alexander of near Orrsburg is threshing a 200-acre field of wheat which he says will probably average thirty bushels to the acre. He had six acres of oats, which made an average of fifty bushels to the acre.

Albert Kennell threshed 82 acres of wheat on the Ruth K. Davis farm, five and a half miles south of Maryville, where he lives. The wheat made 2,000 bushels, and ten acres averaged 40 bushels. Threshed in fifteen hours.

Mr. Kennell also threshed 733 bushels of oats from twenty acres on the farm adjoining, owned by Albert Carr, in two hours. Both threshings were finished in seventeen hours.

Now all that remains for the farmers to have one of the best years is to have a corn crop, and it looks very much this year like it will be a bumper crop. The rains of the last two weeks have improved the corn wonderfully.

A BED SPREAD MADE IN 1816.

Now in Possession of J. J. Armstrong—Will Be on Exhibition at the Street Fair.

A counterpane or bed spread, all hand woven and made in 1816, will be on exhibition at the Maryville street fair in September. It belongs to J. J. Armstrong, who lives near Maryville, and he received it from his mother. The bed spread was a wedding gift that was received by Grandma Armstrong in 1816.

Fred L. Armstrong, a son of J. J. Armstrong, who was in the city Saturday, said that the bed spread was decorated and contains the Stars and Stripes, the bars and other decorations. He said that the family had been offered several prices for it, but that they would not sell it.

On Trip to Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Todd and daughters will leave Monday for Des Moines, Ia., to attend the fair and visit Mrs. Todd's brother, Lloyd Humphrey. They will also visit Mrs. Todd's father, W. E. Humphrey, at Ft. Dodge, Ia., and other relatives at Waukee, Ia., before returning home in about ten days.

Will Go to Des Moines.

Mrs. Rebecca Gray and Edward Gray will go to Parnell Saturday evening. On Sunday they will leave for Des Moines with Mrs. Gray's son, Otis Gray, and his family to attend the state fair, and will make the trip in Mr. Gray's car. They expect to return Wednesday evening.

Short Visit With Relatives.

Mrs. Thomas Flanag of Kansas City, Kan., and nephew, Otis Rundell of Prague, Okla., returned home Friday evening from a two days' visit with Mrs. Flanag's brother, D. W. Criss, and family.

THE WEATHER

Unsettled with probably a shower tonight or Sunday; not much change in temperature.

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For Sheriff—Ed Wallace.

For Treasurer—E. F. Wolfert.

For Surveyor—J. E. Reese.

For Coroner—Dr. Wm. Wallis, Jr.

For Public Administrator—J. F. Robertson.

On Visit to Des Moines.

Dean G. H. Colbert of the State Normal went to Des Moines, Ia., Saturday to attend the state fair and visit his sister, Mrs. Dr. Graham. Mrs. Graham's husband has charge of the Methodist hospital in that city.

Met Sister From Arizona.

Mrs. Percy Ellis of Stanberry was in Maryville Saturday forenoon to meet her sister, Mrs. O. C. Troutman and two children of Tucson, Ariz., who were going to Stanberry on a visit to her parents.

Is Visiting in the City.

Mrs. L. L. Hanna and daughter, Irene, of Vernon, Texas, arrived in the city Friday night for a visit with her brothers, J. D. and M. E. Ford, of this city, and A. C. Ford of near Quitman.

Crops Are Fine.

T. J. Parle, the Maryville druggist, reports that crops are fine in Nodaway county. He is of the opinion that this year's crop will be far better than for some years.

Went to St. Paul.

Mrs. J. C. Archer left Saturday for a three weeks' visit at St. Paul, Minn., with her son, Blaine Archer. She will attend the Minnesota state fair while there.

Miss Nora Brown of Kansas City, adopted daughter of Mrs. B. F. Anderson, who has been visiting in Maryville the past month with Miss Fay Herndon, returned to her home Saturday morning.

Mrs. E. S. Fannon of near Bedison was in the city Saturday morning to meet Mr. Fannon, who returned from a several weeks stay at the Burlington Junction mineral springs.

Misses Marie and Blanche Landfather went to Stanberry Saturday for a week's visit at the home of their uncle, Frank L. Clayton and their cousin, W. W. Oliver.

Mrs. A. A. Thummell returned to her home in Parnell Saturday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Reavis. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Reavis.

Mrs. J. E. Lash and daughter, Miss Myrline, of Rosendale, returned home Friday evening from a two days' visit with Mrs. J. A. Lash of West Second street.

Miss Ethel Ray and Miss Jennie Diem went to Highland, Kan., Saturday morning to visit Miss Ray's sister, Mrs. Clarence Hopp.

Home Health Club

By DR. DAVID H. REEDER, LaPorte, Ind.

An emergency case—Since this is an age of automobiles, rapid transit and outdoor sports, the emergency case properly equipped is a necessity.

Possessed of an emergency case, containing the articles suggested herein, and good common sense, combined with a knowledge of how to give the Home Health club treatments, you will be able to render first aid to the injured, or to one suddenly stricken with some acute disorder, when the opportunity presents itself, thus relieving a fellow-being from pain or, perhaps, saving life, which act will always be a source of self-satisfaction, and that sort of self-satisfaction is nothing more or less than a proper reward for a kind act, and is in no way reprehensible, but quite the contrary. Besides, in owning and using such a case you will be acquiring useful information, almost imperceptibly.

This case is merely for personal use or home use. More elaborate and extensive one may be devised for schools, camps, factories, ships, mines, etc. It is better to prepare such an important thing before you will have need for it. The sense of providence will indorse that. It is, of course, more necessary that such a case should be on hand where one is not in touch with a drug store. It is handy on an outing and is a sort of insurance against accident. In cases of accident there is always more or less of excitement. Owning such a case, you know just where to go to get what is useful in an emergency.

Never lock the case. You might have trouble finding the key in a hurry, but always keep it where the children or meddlesome person cannot easily find it.

Following should be the contents of the emergency case. Later we will give a paper telling something about the uses of these articles:

Absorbent cotton, 2 4-ounce packages; gauze bandages, 6; cotton bandage, 1 (1 yard square); adhesive plaster, 1 (1 roll 1-inch wide, 5 yards long; iodoform gauze, 1 (1 yard long); gauze bandage, 1 (1 yard square); mustard plaster, 1 dozen; sesqui. chlor. iron sol.; scissors, 1 pair; splinter forceps; antiseptic tablets; rubber tubing (for turniquet or stomach tube), and triangular bandage.

Everything should be wrapped with wax paper to keep it sterile and clean until needed.

Don't wait until you have to have these things before you get them. Have them where they will do the greatest possible good. Have them like the fire department—always ready.

Club Notes.

Ohio—Dear Doctor: I wish to know what to do for hay asthma? I am a man 32 years old; work in a grocery. Affected in August and September.

J. S.

Some years ago the writer picked up a little book, written by a German physician, who is long since dead, and in glancing over it found a brief mention of hay fever or coryza. He suggested that salt was the cause and that sufferers were liberal users of salt on their food.

In his investigations he found that the system and tissues of such a person needed the salt and was crying out for it, and following the demand the sufferer ate large quantities of it. The trouble all arose, he said, from the fact that the salt eaten was not presented in a form that was acceptable to the system or that could be taken up and assimilated by the tissues. He stated further that the salt must be supplied in the proper manner and a cure would surely follow.

The writer himself, at that time being a sufferer from hay fever, saw the point and procured an attenuated preparation of sodium chloride and took small doses four times daily. The result was a most agreeable surprise, for after a few days' treatment the hay fever was gone.

We do not wish to be understood as saying that all cases of hay fever are met with in those who use salt freely, for that would not be true, but the attenuated doses of sodium chloride in sugar of milk can be safely depended upon where indicated.

Among the many measures which contribute to the relief of the sufferer are these: Keep the skin active by frequent bathing, eating and drinking intelligently, deep and skillful manipulations of the muscles of neck and shoulders, and keeping the entire intestinal tract clean and free from waste matter.

Warrensville.—Dear Doctor: Our little boy 21 months old is a large, heavy child and his ankles turn in quite noticeably, so much so that his shoes are run over on the inner side. He did not walk until 15 months old, but now wants to be out of doors walking nearly all day. Will he outgrow it What would you advise?

M. A. L.

I am glad to see that you recognize the conditions as being an abnormal one, and are starting early to correct it. There are very few deformations of children which cannot be corrected if taken in time. There are few deformities that a child will entirely outgrow. The old idea that a child, if let alone, will outgrow most deformities, is responsible for many crippled and deformed adults. Daily on the streets, in the country, country towns, and everywhere one sees this evidence of neglect, carelessness or ignorance, whichever it may be, on the part of those responsible. Many a poor cripple could have been given strong, straight bodies.

It is evident that your little boy has not been getting food which contains a sufficient quantity of bone forming material. Let him play out of doors all he likes. He will thus naturally reduce his own weight and increase the strength of his ankles. Feed him whole cereals; that is, those containing the whole grain, with cream and a little sugar. Also give him plenty of fresh milk to drink. If his ankles do not gradually straighten up within three months write me again.

All readers of this publication are at liberty at any time to write for information pertaining to the subject of health. Address all communications to the Home Health Club 5039 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, Ill., U. S. A., with name and address in full and at least four cents in postage.

ONLY THREE BIG CIRCUSES.

Only Three Shows of the First Class Traveling on the Road.

There are only three of the circuses of the first class traveling on the road today. That is, there are only three circuses carrying three rings in which the performance is given. These circuses are the Barnum & Bailey, the Ringling and the Yankee Robinson circus. All of these shows have three rings, two elevated stages and the usual hippodrome track where the races are held. The Robinson circus gives its wild west performance in the hippodrome track. The other two shows do not carry the wild west annex, but give a spectacular performance in addition to the circus.

The Sioux Falls Argus-Leader, speaking of the Robinson circus, states that the performance is on a par with either the Barnum or Ringling circus and states emphatically that the present Yankee Robinson circus will excel the Barnum shows within a few years. They will be at Maryville on August 29.

Left for Des Moines.

A. J. Holt and family, living northwest of the city, left Saturday morning for Des Moines to attend the state fair.

CHICAGO SUNDAY PAPERS Will be 6 cents beginning September 1st. W. G. A. Edwards, Agent.

Back From Graham.

Homer Croy returned Thursday from a few days' visit with relatives near Graham.

Purchased an Auto.

F. P. Reuillard purchased this week of George McMurray a Buick automobile.

Mrs. W. B. Harris of Mt. Olive, Ill., who has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Williams, went to Lenox, Ia., Saturday for a visit before returning home.

Mrs. Will Turner and daughter and Mrs. S. M. Barnes of Barnard spent Friday afternoon in Maryville as guests of Sheriff and Mrs. W. R. Tilson.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Wells and daughter, Mrs. Virgil Hunt, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ira Wells, of Ravenwood, were shopping in the city Saturday.

Misses Mamie and Katie Sullivan went to Clyde Saturday to visit over Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Sullivan.

Mrs. A. S. Dodds returned to her home in Bolckow Friday evening from a two days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Helen Hopkins.

Misses Florence and Jennie Pugh went to Guilford Saturday to spend Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pugh.

Miss Margaret Heffern and Miss Alice Donahue went to Stanberry Saturday to visit Miss Donahue's uncle, James Brady.

Willard W. Wood was appointed administrator of the estate of his father, George W. Wood, who died this week.

Miss EffieRickard went to Pickering Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. H. H. McClurg, and brother, Oliver Rickard.

A marriage license was issued Saturday to Carl W. Stuart of Stanberry and Mary E. Pittsenbarger of Barnard.

Mrs. Al Dragoo went to Pickering Saturday to visit Miss Lanta Moberly.

SAVED FIVE FROM DEATH IN TUNNEL

Automatic Brakes Stopped Train With Two Engines.

CREW OVERCOME BY GAS FUMES

Fireman on Northern Pacific "Pusher" Proves Himself Hero, and Succeeds in Rescuing all Alive.

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 24.—Faint and dizzy from the fumes of coal gas in the inky blackness of Stampede tunnel, John Denise, a fireman on the Northern Pacific railroad, kept his head, husbanded his strength and by sheer grit saved five lives.

Denise was fireman on a "pusher," helping shove a heavy freight train through the tunnel. Midway the air hose broke, the brakes set automatically and the train came to a standstill. Searching for the break, the conductor and brakeman were stupefied by gas from the forward end and fell.

None to Help.

Half dead, the brakeman crawled back to the rear end with word for Denise. The latter ran 20 car lengths to where the conductor lay. He was too weak to carry the conductor, but he dragged him back to the cab. There he found his engineer stupefied and the brakeman helpless.

It was beyond his strength to lift the conductor to the cab, so he left him lying on the floor of the tunnel, cut out the "pusher," and, with the engineer and brakeman helpless in the cab, shot for the west portal of the tunnel.

Outside he found four Italian section hands with a handcar. They helped him lift out the engineer and brakeman, and then he drafted them for another plunge into the gas filled tunnel.

Engine Crew Overcome.

On the first trip they brought out the conductor, still breathing. Back they went again, reaching the forward engine, where fireman and engineer were both overcome. This time Denise cut out the forward engine and raced for the eastern portal.

There they met passenger train No. 5, stalled by the block signals. Conductor O'toole turned his train into an emergency hospital and brought Denise and the five men he had saved back to the Northern Pacific hospital in Tacoma, where they arrived early in the morning. All will recover.

PUT TO DEATH FOR MINOR CRIME

Chinese Execute 500 a Month in Canton—All Courts Impose Capital Punishment.

Canton, Aug. 24.—More than 500 death sentences have been executed here in the last month, including many for all manner of petty offenses. The police, the military commander, the naval authorities and the courts all exercise the right to impose and execute capital sentence. Death is the penalty for gambling, false representation, piracy, theft, extortion, selling arms without license, joining anti-government organizations, treason, murder and harboring criminals.

Heinze Sued for $100,000.

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 24.—F. Augustus Heinze of Butte and New York was sued for $100,000 for libel by Edward J. Carter of Spokane. Carter alleges he was libeled in a statement sent by Heinze to the stockholders of the Stewart Mining company, of which he is president, declaring that Carter had demanded 25,000 shares of the stock of the company and had threatened to sue Heinze if refused.

Counts on "First Voters."

Chicago, Aug. 24.—Eugene Chafin, candidate for president on the Prohibition ticket, expressed the opinion that the Prohibition ticket will get 1,000,000 of the 5,000,000 "first votes" cast this year.

PANAMA CANAL NEAR FINISHED

Figures Indicate 6,903,000 of Excavating Remain to Make Great Work Complete.

Washington, Aug. 24.—The figures showing the amount of excavation to be done on the Panama Canal indicate that great work was five-sixths finished August 1, but there actually remained 6,903,000 cubic yards more earth to be removed than had been estimated for a year before.

That apparent backward movement is explained in the official records by a large amount of siltage in the canal bed, which must be removed from the finished tunnels and also by extensive excavation for dry docks, coaling stations and terminals at Balboa, which were not taken into account in the original estimate.

Major Ray May Be Promoted.

Washington, Aug. 24.—President Taft sent to the Senate the nomination of Maj. Beecher B. Ray to be deputy paymaster general with the rank of lieutenant colonel. Mr. Taft also sent to the Senate the nomination of Lewis K. Torbet to be naval officer of customs in the Chicago district.

Bainums to East Fourth.

E. H. Bainum and family will move Monday to the residence at 302 East Fourth street just vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Irwin. The apartments in the residence of Mrs. R. H. Perry, 403 East Third street, vacated by the Bainum family, will be occupied by D. N. Scott and family, who have been living in the Buhler flats, over the Schumacher grocery. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Collins will go to housekeeping in the Buhler flats.

Purchased a Cadillac Car.

Mayor Arthur S. Robey was in St. Joseph Friday, and while there purchased a 1913 Cadillac car. It will not be delivered until October.

Mrs. Gertrude Nussbaum of Bolckow, who has been visiting her relatives, the families of D. D. McDermott and Frank Fanning, east of Maryville, and with relatives at Burlington Junction and in Iowa, returned home Friday evening. She was accompanied by Miss Bertha Fanning and Flossie Fanning of Conway, Ia., who will visit their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fanning of Bolckow.

Mrs. O. E. Miller and two sons returned to their home in Barnard Friday evening from a two days' visit with Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hartman, and her sister, Mrs. Vance Westfall.

Mrs. Anna Turner, mother of M. A. Turner, who has been spending the past three months in St. Joseph with her daughter, Mrs. S. J. Ames, returned home Saturday noon, accompanied by Mrs. Ames.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Seeley and Miss Ida Seeley, living four and one-half miles northeast of Maryville, went to St. Joseph Friday evening to visit Mrs. Anna Sultzer and Mrs. Seeley's brother, John Nowling.

Miss Laura Gregory of Clarinda visited in Maryville Saturday forenoon with Miss Amy Clark, and went to Hopkins to visit her father, T. M. Gregory.

Mrs. Nick Craig of St. Joseph, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. J. Schraub, went to Stanberry Saturday to look after some property interests.

Mrs. J. T. Roberts and daughter, Vida Drain, went to Hopkins Saturday to visit Mrs. C. W. Gray and Mrs. Roy David.

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See the twenty miles match motorcycle race at the Maitland fair ground next week, Tuesday, August 27, after the fair, between Ralph Bates, the colored boy of Omaha, and Glen Smith of St. Joe. Also fifty miles of professional races.

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SPRAY YOUR APPLES.

That is the Remedy and It Should Be Done, Says Secretary Wilson.

"Spray your apples," was the slogan given to members of the American Apple Growers' congress, which met in annual convention at St. Louis Thursday, by Thomas C. Wilson, secretary of the Missouri state board of agriculture and secretary of the congress, which he founded ten years ago.

"Too many apple growers plant their trees and then trust to Providence," Wilson said. "That is why apple crops are not as good as they were years ago. We now have to contend with insects and fungi, which had not affected the trees then. Spraying is the remedy and the thorough fruit raiser realizes it and sprays his trees. Take, for instance, Arthur T. Nelson of Lebanon. He is a thorough fruit grower and sprays his trees. As a result he is harvesting one of the best crops in the country, while several orchards in his vicinity, where the owners did no spraying, have practically no crop."

Flying Men Fall

Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles just like other people, with like results in loss of appetite, backache, nervousness, headache, and tired, listless, run down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that, as T. D. Peebles, Henry, Tenn., proved. "Six bottles of Electric Bitters," he writes, "did more to give men new strength and good appetite than all other stomach remedies I used." So they help everybody. It's folly to suffer when this great remedy will help you from the first dose. Try it. Only 50 cents at the Orear-Henry Drug Co.

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SAID SHE WOULD FAINT

Mrs. Della Long Unable to Stand On Her Feet More Than a Few Minutes at a Time.

Pendergrass, Ga.—Mrs. Della Long, of this place, in a recent letter, says: "For five or six years, I suffered agonies with womanly troubles.

Often, I couldn't sit up more than a few minutes at a time, and if I stood on my feet long, I would faint.

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N. B.—*Write to:* Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for *Special Instructions*, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

Mrs. R. M. Terrell, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. George E. Fleming, for several weeks, returned to her home in Hopkins Saturday. She spent Saturday afternoon in Pickering to attend the Rebekah lodge meeting there.

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MAY SPOIL ADJOURNMENT PLANS

Argument Will be Continued at Morning Session—Absentees Hurriedly Sent for to Complete Quorum.

Washington, Aug. 24.—Plans for adjournment of congress were threatened by the house in a determined fight of Representative Murdock of Kansas against an appropriation of $35,000 for the mail service on Eads bridge across the Mississippi river.

The bridge connects East St. Louis and St. Louis, and is owned by 15 corporations. Murdock made aggravating scenes for members anxious to go home when he insisted on a point of no quorum and forced a hurried call for absentees. The attack on the bill came during the consideration of the conference report of the postoffice appropriation bill, which the senate already had adopted.

Says Trust Controls Bridge.

Murdock said a trust controlled the Eads bridge, the same trust that operated the Merchants' bridge, and that there was no reason why such a payment should be made to the Eads Bridge company. Representative Boon of Tennessee and Representative Weeks of Massachusetts, the house conferees, replied that the appropriation just about covered the actual cost of the service to the bridge company.

Murdock suggested that the supreme court of the United States had declared the Eads Bridge company a trust. Moon replied that, trust or no trust, the government should deal fairly and justly with it. The speaker overruled Murdock's request for unanimous consent for a separate vote on the amendment in dispute.

May Mean Another Week.

Murdock then made the point of no quorum and the score of members voiced their indignation across the house chamber, and Representative Mann, Republican leader, and others sought to dissuade Murdock. An insistence upon a quorum at this time may mean throwing adjournment of congress over into next week.

After the rollcall had proceeded some time, it became apparent that not even an approximate quorum could be obtained and the house adjourned until 10 o'clock in the morning. It was generally understood after adjournment that Murdock would not renew his vital point of no quorum, in which event the Democratic leader will be able to carry out their adjournment program, but he would not admit it.

The house leaders, taking no chances, sent messages to absent Democratic representatives to rush back to Washington to insure a quorum.

MAIL CAR BANDIT IDENTIFIED

Nervy Robber Proves to be Ex-Mail Clerk—Now Runs Fruit Farm in Oregon.

Kansas City, Aug. 24.—R. S. Brauer, in charge of the postoffice inspection department here, obtained information that fixed the identity of the lone bandit who attempted the robbery of the Union Pacific train as it left the Union station.

The bandit is William Loundsberry. Loudsberry worked as a mail clerk out of St. Paul, Minn., for 14 years. About five years ago he quit the service and went to Oregon, where he has been running a small fruit farm. Information received at the office of the postal inspectors here connects Loundsberry with the robbery of a railway mail car in California last January.

After the information Mr. Brauer had obtained had been sent to Topeka, the man admitted his identity.

TOBACCO GROWERS FEAR RAIDS

Kentucky Night Riders Show Renewed Activity—Planters Warned to Join Association.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 24.—The night riders who terrorized the greater part of Kentucky four years ago, have renewed activities in the western part of the state and in an effort to stop them before they do harm, a court of inquiry will be held by authorities in Trigg county. No violence has occurred so far but warning notes are being sent tobacco growers telling them to join the tobacco associations.

Kills Two for Love.

Horton, Kan., Aug. 24.—Homer Thompson, a retired farmer, shot and killed Mrs. Hattie Jackson, 40 years old, here because she refused to marry him. He then killed himself. The woman had been divorced only a month.

French Airmen to Fly.

New York, Aug. 24.—The French aviators, Auburn, Schneider, Vedrines, Provost and Frey, who will take part in the International Aviation cup contests at Chicago, will reach New York next week on the liners Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse and Lorraine.

E. H. TENNYSON D'EYNCOURT

Mr. d'Eyncourt has just been appointed director of naval construction at the British admiralty and will superintend the building of the king's naval vessels. For twenty years he has been connected with great ship building concerns, but he has never before held public office.

WILL ASK BELL DISSOLUTION

GOVERNMENT READY TO SUE PHONE COMBINE.

Company Will be Offered Opportunity to Conform to Sherman Law Before Suit Begins.

Chicago, Aug. 24.—Suit for the dissolution of the Bell Telephone interests, headed by the American Telegraph and Telephone company, is contemplated by the government. The suit will be a civil action under the Sherman anti-trust law. It will be filed either in New York or Chicago.

Special government investigators have been working securing information about the telephone "combine" several months and are now already to make a report to the department of justice.

It is said that the company will be given a chance to dissolve itself before suit is begun. The suit will charge that the corporation is a trust and it will be alleged that the Bell company has absorbed the independent companies and that it maintains a virtual monopoly in the telephone field.

It's alleged partial control of the Western Union Telegraph company will be shown and it will be pointed out that through the Western Electric company the Bell interests enter the manufacturing field.

The American Telephone & Telegraph company owns, according to the latest available list, $405,359,400 par value of the $441,733,402 total stocks of the 37 companies.

DOUBLE HEADER TRAIN IN WRECK

Eleven People Injured When Missouri Pacific Left Rails Near Ottawa, Kan.

Ottawa, Kan., Aug. 24.—Eleven persons were injured two severely, when passenger train No. 3, westbound, on the Missouri Pacific was derailed three miles east of Ottawa. The wreck was caused when the tender of the first engine of the train left the tracks and caused the derailment of the second engine and the coaches.

Engineer Burns tried to jump when his engine left the track. He was caught and held by parts of the machinery and was scalded by escaping steam. The head engine remained on the track. The baggage, express and smoking cars were partly telescoped. The track was torn up for about 200 yards. The severely injured were taken back to Osawatomie, while the other passengers were brought to Ottawa.

GUNBOAT MUST HURRY TO COLON

Navy Urged to Hasten Departure of Transport Prairie—Dispatches all Delayed in Transmission.

Washington, Aug. 24.—The state department is urging the navy to take every step possible to get the transport Prairie started for Colon. The navy is doing its best, but the marines the ship is to carry cannot be collected before another 24 hours.

Dispatches are from 24 to 48 hours late in transmission. Each seems to indicate more aggravated conditions. The gunboat Denver will land about 100 bluejackets and steam to San Juan Del Sur, where the cable station is located. Then the navy will be in direct communication with the Annapolis and Justin at Corinto.

Found Delirious in Box Car.

Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 24.—After two days in which he was delirious with typhoid fever, and too weak to make himself heard, Andrew Nelson was taken from a box car here. Switchmen heard his moans. Nelson, who is a railway laborer, climbed into the box car Tuesday at Farmington, Minn., it was discovered. The car was in the local yards for two days, shunted from track to track. He was taken to a hospital, where it was said he probably will die.

PORTLAND MUST CLEAN HOUSE

City Officials Inactive, Governor Starts General Vice Crusade.

TO USE MILITIA IF NECESSARY

West Determined to Make City Morally Clean "If it Takes Till January, 1915," When His Term of Office Ends.

Portland, Ore., Aug. 24.—Governor Oswald West served notice on the authorities of the city of Portland and Multnomah county that he proposed to institute a moral "house cleaning" in Portland next Monday with the help of the local authorities if they will give it, without it if they do not care to assist, and in spite of them if they try to block his efforts. The governor said he was going to "clean up" Portland if it took him until January 9, 1915, the day his term of office expires.

The governor arrived here from Salem early in the day and at once telephoned to Mayor A. G. Rushlight, Chief of Police E. A. Slover, District Attorney George J. Cameron and Sheriff R. L. Stevens to meet him in the mayor's office. All except the sheriff were present. He sent word he was "too busy."

To Use Special Deputies.

Rushlight and Slover told the governor that they did not take much stock in his program. They advocated, as the only solution, the creating of a restricted district, and asserted that nothing would be accomplished by a crusade except to drive police characters from one hiding place to another.

The governor adhered to his position and the local authorities to theirs. Then the governor announced he intended to put two special deputies into the district attorney's office to conduct the prosecution.

"You will if they suit me," Cameron replied.

"I will anyhow," retorted the govetrnor. "I am going to have somebody in there who won't 'double cross' me. You 'double crossed' everybody you ever came in contact with."

Milita a Last Resort.

Remarking on the absence of Sheriff Stevens, West asserted that he intended to take possession of the sheriff's office by force if necessary. Later the governor was asked if he intended to call out the national guard to do it.

"As a last resort," was the reply.

Asked why he had not attended the meeting, Sheriff Stevens said:

"The governor is merely trying to advertise himself. I am too busy with my own work to help him in his scheme."

SHOWED POLITICAL HONESTY

Oklahoman, Successful in Contested Election, Withdrew in Favor of Opponent.

Muskogee, Ok., Aug. 24.—In Haskell county two young lawyers, Foster V. Phipps and Niel B. Gardner, were Democratic candidates for county attorney. It was a close race. When the ballots were counted it was found that Phipps had won by a nine-vote majority. Gardner believed illegal votes had been cast and the nomination his. He filed a contest. A recount was ordered and Gardner had a majority of three over Phipps. A Gardner representative agreed with the election board that the intent of the votes was sufficiently plain to show that they wanted their ballot cast for Phipps. Gardner learned of this, turned in the election certificate tendered him and stated that he did not want to accept the nomination. So Phipps may be the next prosecuting attorney.

This is the only instance, save one, where a candidate made the primary race, was nominated and then withdrew in favor of his opponent.

YOUNG GIRL FORETOLD DEATH

At Iola Camp Meeting, Iva Golden Shouted Warning—Within Three Hours Prophecy Was Fulfilled.

Topeka, Aug. 24.—Miss Iva Golden, 20 years old, of Iola, at a camp meeting here shouted to the congregation: "The Lord has revealed to me that the death angel is hovering over a certain person in this building and before the sun sets again that person will have passed away."

Within less than three hours after this prophecy was made Mrs. F. W. Rogers, wife of a wealthy farmer of McLouth, died in the park.

After the meeting Mrs. Rogers retired in her tent, apparently in the best of health. At 1:20 a. m. she died. Her death is attributed to heart disease.

In explanation of her prophecy, Miss Golden said it had been revealed to her and she felt it her duty to tell the meeting.

Jap Ruler Honored.

London, Aug. 24.—King George conferred the Order of the Garter on Emperor Yoshihito, Japan's new ruler. Prince Arthur of Connaught, eldest son of the governor general of Canada, will present the insignia to the emperor after the funeral, September 13, of the late Emperor Mutsuhito.

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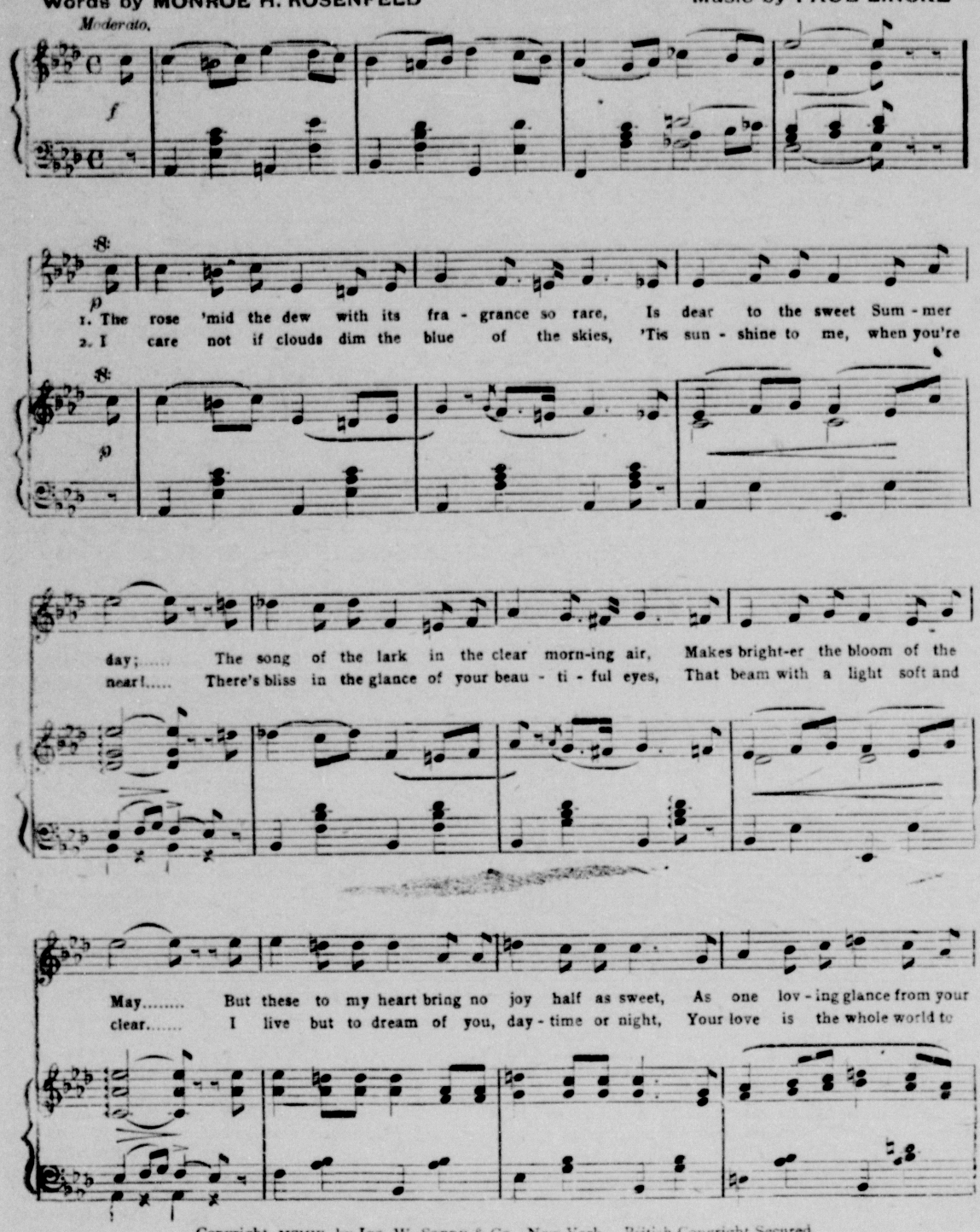
Moderato.
1. The rose 'mid the dew with its fra - grance so rare, Is dear to the sweet Sum - mer
2. I care not if clouds dim the blue of the skies, 'Tis sun - shine to me, when you're
day;..... The song of the lark in the clear morn-ing air, Makes bright-er the bloom of the
near!..... There's bliss in the glance of your beau - ti - ful eyes, That beam with a light soft and
May..... But these to my heart bring no joy half as sweet, As one lov - ing glance from your
clear..... I live but to dream of you, day - time or night, Your love is the whole world to
eyes, For sun - shine is there and all glad - ness com-plete, No mat - ter how dark are the
me! With you by my side all the fu - ture is bright, And life is a calm Sum-mer
skies.....
sea.....
Tempo di Valse
Refrain.
You are the star that guides my way,
Shad-ows may come but naught care I,
rit.
You are my bea - con light al - way, You have my heart what - e'er be - fall,
You bring to me the Sum - mer sky, You are my dream by night and day,
You are the sweet - est dream of all;
You are the star that guides my way.
1st verse.
2d verse.
D.S.

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You are the Star that Guides my Way — No. 210.

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

WANTED—Girl at Maryville Steam Laundry. 2-tf

FOR RENT—Modern 5-room flat, steam heat, close in. E. D. Orear. 21-tf

FOR SALE—Canary birds. Lela Stundon, 901 East First street, Hanamo 297 Red.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Tents, camp stools and cots, picnic plates, knives and forks. Mark's 5 and 10c store.

FOR SALE—Heavy manilla wrapping paper, 50x30 inches, 5c the sheet Democrat-Forum job office. 16-tf

FOR SALE—5x7 camera, case and four holders; price $8. Also other bargains in cameras. C. M. Price. 22-24

LOST—Lady's black velvet hand bag containing locket and chain. "Estella" engraved on locket. Return to Democrat-Forum. 23-26

WANTED—TO BUY 3,000 pounds of old rags, copper, rubbers and all kinds of old metal. R. C. Anthony, Hanamo 358 Red. 24-tf

FOR SALE—Modern 6-room house and 3 acres on Prather avenue. See Mrs. W. H. Davenport at Logan Holt's. 6-6

FOR RENT—4 rooms of my residence furnished for housekeeping. Inquire Childress department store. Mrs Cora Trullinger. 23-26

FOR SALE—Small herd Aberdeen Angus cattle, team of horses, 2 and 3 years old, and a large team of 4-year-old horses. Mason & Wilderman. 9-tf

LOST—In runaway near the John Anderson farm, four miles east of Maryville, a meerschaum pipe. Will party who has this pipe please return to this office. 23-25

INSURE with Hyslop. Fire tornado (farm or city), plate glass, automobile liability, accident or damaged health. Contract and court bond promptly executed.

FOR RENT—Modern 10-room house, suitable for dwelling or rooming house, located corner Fourth and Buchanan. Inquire D. F. Angell, Hanamo 264 Red, or 226 Blue. 24-tf

Call for Progressive Party Convention.

To the Members of the Progressive Party in Nodaway County: Gentlemen—You are hereby requested to assemble in convention at the Empire theater in Maryville, Mo., on Saturday, August 31st, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing ten delegates and ten alternates from this county to attend the state convention of the Progressive party in St. Louis, Mo., on Sept. 3d, 1912, and represent Nodaway county in said convention.

Also for the further purpose of nominating a full Progressive ticket for the offices of representative, sheriff treasurer, prosecuting attorney, judge of the north district, judge of the south district, surveyor and coroner, all of said offices to be filled at the election this coming November.

The county convention herein called will also take such steps as may be deemed best looking to the completion of a Progressive party organization in Nodaway county.

This county convention will be a mass convention, and every voter of the county who is a member of the Progressive party will be entitled to be present and participate.

The downstairs or main floor of the theater will be reserved for the members of the party, and no person will be admitted to said floor until he has delivered to the doorkeeper a ticket in the form which will be prepared and furnished by the county committee, and which ticket must be signed by the party desiring admission, and also state his residence, that he is a voter in Nodaway county, a member of the Progressive party, and that he will support at the polls in November the Progressive ticket, national, state and county. Blank tickets may be secured of the committee on the day of the convention. The gallery of the theater will be open to the public, unless it should be necessary to clear it to make room for members of the party.

Witness our hands this 22d day of August, 1912, by order of the Nodaway county Progressive committee.

W. W. GLASS, Chairman.
F. P. ROBINSON, Secretary.

Protection from loss by windstorms, fire or lightning is business, either in country or city. You owe it to yourself and family. Consult me now for special rates and terms, or phone me and I will call.

CHARLES HYSLOP,
General Agent.

Returned From Pennsylvania.

A. T. Clark returned Saturday morning from Reynoldsville, Pa., where he went ten days ago to accompany his daughter, Mrs. Harry Reed, of Los Angeles, Cal., with the body of her husband to that place for burial. Mrs. Reed will remain with her husband's relatives for about two weeks, when she will return to Los Angeles to settle up business affairs, stopping in Maryville on the way.

And Meat So Dear.

At 1 o'clock he stood in front of a bulletin board and read the fragmentary news from the convention. Under his arm he carried a bundle. "It's liver for dinner tonight," he explained. "I ought to be getting home with it before it spoils in this heat." His car came along just then, but a new bulletin went up, so he stayed.

At 4 o'clock he was seen watching for his car with one eye, and reading a new bulletin with the other. The bundle under his arm looked moist and worn. "I really must take the next car," he declared. "The folks in Kearny expected me home at noon. I'll just wait till I get the result of this ballot and then I'll break away."

At 7 o'clock he turned from the board with a sigh of disappointment. "I hoped the nomination was coming that time, sure," said he. Still watching the bulletins, he started for his car.

On the way to the corner he tossed his bundle into a wastepaper can.—Newark News.

Beware the Death Flower.

Scientists setting out to solve the mystery of the mammoth statues of Easter island have been cautioned—more or less humorously—to steer clear of El Banoer, another island of the Pacific. One of the early English explorers, Hugh Arkwright, who sailed the Pacific in 1581, warns travelers against visiting El Banoer—the home of the death flower. This flower, he says, is so large that a man can stand upright inside one of its blossoms. But if he does so he will surely fall asleep, lulled by the strange fragrance it distills. Then the flower folds its petals and suffocates him. "And so he passes into death through splendid dreams and gives his body to the death flower for food."

King George and the Collier.

While the king was looking at a seventeen-year-old pit pony which had been brought up for his inspection, the pony proved somewhat restless. "I expect the daylight worries him," said the king. "No, sir," replied the miner, "it is the headstall he dones't like. He can't see your majesty plain enough.—London Spectator.

HON. WILLIAM J. BRYAN:

"Governor Wilson's speech of acceptance is admirable. It is original in its treatment of the issues of the campaign. I am sure the address will impress the country favorably."

JOHN W. KERN, SENATOR, INDIANA:

"Governor Wilson's speech of acceptance is a masterpiece, setting forth with great clearness his conception of the work to be accomplished by the Democratic party under his leadership. It is in complete harmony with the progressive sentiment of the country, but also appeals strongly to every legitimate business interest."

GOV. WILLIAM H. MANN OF VIRGINIA:

"I think it was an admirable speech. It was wise, conservative, comprehensive, prophetic not only of Democratic success but of Democratic supremacy, for years to come."

GOV. FREDERICK W. PLAISTED OF MAINE:

"It is a splendid presentation of the issues for the American people. It rings true in every sentence and in every word. It represents the spirit of the Democracy of today. It is the address of a statesman."

GOV. EUGENE FOSS, MASSACHUSETTS:

"It was an admirable presentation of the real issues upon which the campaign will be fought this fall. I think that it is bound to strengthen Governor Wilson among the thinking people of the country."

GOV. GEO. W. DONAGHEY, ARKANSAS:

"It was a great speech. It will ring through the country. It is just what he should have said. The people have never felt more confident of success since the first nomination of Grover Cleveland."

JUDGE MARTIN J. WADE, IOWA:

"For the first time since the state was admitted to the Union, Iowa will this year give its electoral vote to the Democratic nominee for president."

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hiles of Burlington Junction were Maryville visitors Saturday.

Miss Hilda Hansen of Arkoe was shopping in Maryville Friday.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—200. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 19,000.

Hogs—5,000. Market strong to 5c higher; top, $8.85. Estimate tomorrow, 30,000.

Sheep—200. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—200. Market steady.

Hogs—500. Market strong to 5c higher; top, $8.62.

Sheep—None.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—None.

Hogs—1,500. Market strong to 5c higher; top, $8.62.

Sheep—150. Market steady.

Home From Hospital.

Miss Mary Angell, daughter of D. F. Angell, has returned home, after a month's stay at St. Francis hospital where she was operated on. She is recovery nicely.

Miss Margaret Williams of Pickering went to Ravenwood Saturday to visit her daughter, Mrs. L. T. Loch.

Miss Nell Tobin of Burlington Junction arrived Saturday for a few days' visit with Miss Alma Hotchkiss.

A PERTINENT QUESTION.

How do you like to be the repair man? Not a very pleasant subject. No doubt the job would ruffle your feelings as well as your clothes.

SAVE A LOT OF TROUBLE.

Bring your car to us for inspection and repairs. This will win in the long run. Have you ever tried our repair service? You will find quick action and low prices.

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PLUMBING AND HEATING.
We Never Sleep.
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Architect and General Contractor
Wants to draw your plans and build your house. Make your new screens or repair your old ones. All work done by first class workmen. Call Hanamo 268.

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Piano Tuning and Repairing
Graduate Tuner with factory experience, Best of references. Prices reasonable. All work guaranteed. Phone Bell 340 or leave orders Field-Lippman Music Co.

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SURGERY.
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Emergency calls answered promptly day or night. Office hours, 9 to 11 a. m.; 2 to 5 p. m. All phones.

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Office over First National bank
Calls answered promptly day and night. All phones.

Chas. E. Stilwell
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.
Office over Maryville National bank
Maryville, Mo.

Miss Ora Eckles went to St. Joseph Friday evening for a few days' visit with Miss Grace McAnulty.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Porter and children of near Orrsburg were shopping in the city Friday.

A marriage license was issued Saturday to Carl A. Johnston and Lucy J. Hale of Quitman.

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WAS GOOD LECTURE

PROF. ARTHUR DILLINGER SPOKE TO THE MOTHERS' CIRCLE.

GOOD MUSICAL NUMBERS

Conservation of American Manhood and Womanhood by Stopping Stream of Social Impurity.

The lecture in the First Presbyterian church Friday evening, under the auspices of the Mothers' Circle, was not largely attended, but it was an appreciative audience, and the music and the lecturer, Rev. J. Arthur Dillinger, of Des Moines, and his lecture, reminded those present of the excellent things at the Chautauqua just closed.

Rev. Dillinger, though quite a young man, shows a knowledge and grasp of the things he spoke of that men of mature years do well to know and deal with.

Before the lecture two excellent musical numbers were given. Mrs. D. J. Thomas sang two numbers by Carrie Jacobs Bond, "Shadows" and "I Love You Truly," with piano accompaniment by her sister, Miss Mary Shaaber. Prof. W. A. Robertson gave two violin numbers, "Cavaleira Rusticana," by Mascagni, and "Wild Rose" by MacDowell, with piano accompaniment by Miss Lottie Perrin.

Mrs. Berney Harris, who presided in the absence of Mrs. Eugene Ogden, the president, introduced the speaker, Mr. Dillinger, who announced his subject, "The Conservation of American Manhood and Womanhood." His lecture was instructive and thoughtful and should have been heard by a much larger audience. He said in part:

Tonight I speak in the interest of boys and girls, the future man and woman. I shall attack some evils which discount manhood and womanhood. I shall lay great emphasis on social impurity. The Mississippi river drains the central part of the United States; the Mississippi could not be but for the tributaries running into it. Social impurity is like the father of waters, it could not be except for the different vices and sins that contribute to its onward course. If I were to tell you how the Mississippi is made I would tell you of the Red river, the Missouri, the Ohio, the Wisconsin and many others. If I tell you of the social evil I shall tell you of the evils that make impurity, Where there is an effect there is a cause. Tonight we shall deal with causes.

The government has been making great strides toward the conservation of our national resources. We reclaim the desert by building great dams, by tunneling under mountains and by constructing great ditches. We are eager to find ways by which the agricultural products can be doubled. We are experimenting with the dairy business, the hog business, the horse business. Our aim is to develop our natural resources so that our country will produce enough to feed and clothe 100,000,000 people. Until recent months we have developed every resource to the neglect of the boy and girl. Some one has said that the twentieth century will be the one in which the child shall be found. This is true, for we are already making the search. The quest began in 1902, when the international congress for the study and prevention of the diseases growing out of the social evil met at Brussels. The deliberations of this gathering crystallized into a strong conviction for drastic measures to be taken for the prevention. The congress recommended that societies be organized in all the civilized nations. Such societies have been organized in Germany, France, Holland and other European countries. The American society was organized in New York in 1905. There are now more than twenty branch societies organized in the different states of the Union. The need of the work is so great that ministers, lawyers, physicians, clubs such as the Mothers' club, are taking it up. Magazines and books are beginning to publish the facts to the world. All over the country lecturers are telling the people the awful results of the sin. Our boys and girls are worth too much for them to be neglected.

Their worth—There are over 2,000,000 children born every year in the United States. Of this number we lose over 300,000. Half this number dies of preventable diseases. The government is literally murdering 150,000 children because she has refused to care for them properly. A professor in the University of Pennsylvania has made a calculation that every child has a potential value of $2,896. The total value, then, of our child crop is worth in dollars and cents just $5,732,000,000. The total corn crop is not worth much over $1,750,000,000. The child crop is worth, then, $4,072,000,000 more.

Why save every other crop when the child crop is the greatest. What will be the need of everything saved except the child? If we allow the child to go on undeveloped our nation will fall. Then what is our material wealth worth?

What is being done?—Many of our schools are putting in courses in sex hygiene and a competent teacher is in charge. Lecturers are being brought to the schools, such as Dr. Hall, who was brought twice to the State Normal last winter. Ah! the Normal is too far advanced. I know personally young men who attended the Normal who had gone too far. The high school? No, not there, but back in the grades, where the child gets the first impressions of life, is the place for this education. Yes, back of that many times, The father and the mother in the home in love and confidence should talk these things over.

Lastly, votes for women. We can better our marriage laws and our factory laws, and the literature and other evils by legislation. Education is the key, but we must educate the popular mind. Let it be crystallized at the polls. Education and legislation are two things that go together. Woman with her sense of purity will vote right because she thinks right.

DO YOU NEED GLASSES?

Eyes Tested Free

Glasses Accurately Fitted by expert Optician. Repairs Promptly Executed at CRANE'S.

$449,593,913 IN BANKS.

Missouri is Enjoying a Very Prosperous Year, According to the Bank Statements.

That Missouri is enjoying a very prosperous year, regardless of the uncertainties in financial circles, which are supposed to be created by a presidential campaign, is shown in a statement issued by Bank Commissioner John E. Swanger, based on a call made for June 14 last, on the condition of banks and trust companies, the returns for which have just been compiled.

There were 1,364 such institutions in the state, of which 31 were private banks, 1,147 incorporated banks, 52 trust companies and 134 national banks, with resources amounting to $831,137,492.71. When the individual deposits, time certificates of deposit, demand certificates and cashier's checks and saving deposits are added together it is found that there was held by the banks and trust companies $449,593,973 subject to call by depositors, which, if divided among the population of Missouri, would give every man, woman and child in the state $136.51.

It must be remembered that these figures do not include the money on deposit in the various postal savings banks in Missouri over which the United States alone has authority, amounting to several million dollars.

Off on Big Trip.

G. B. Holmes, Sr., left Saturday morning for French Lick Springs, Ind., on a ten days' trip. He went by way of Kansas City, and will leave there Sunday on a special train that will carry representatives of the North American Insurance company for the Kansas City district, embracing Missouri, Kansas, Nebraska and Omaha. It is expected that 500 agents will be present at the meeting held in Indiana. About 125 of them will be from the Kansas City district. Mr. Holmes was given this trip by his company in recognition of his work here in the last eight months. He has also won three cash prizes of $150 since he began work with the company in February.

Attended Maitland Fair.

Miss Gwendolyn Fuller of Bolckow and her guest, Miss Frances Lloyd of Barnard spent Thursday and Friday in Maryville as guests of Miss Fuller's cousins, Mrs. S. G. Selecman and Mrs. N. F. Humber. The young ladies were on their way home from the Maitland fair.

To Address Teachers.

Prof. Frank H. Shepherd of the State Normal went to Albany Saturday to address the teachers' meeting on "Practical Manual Training in Rural Schools."

Was in Maryville.

O. R. Geyer of Des Moines, who has been visiting at Graham with home folks, was in Maryville Saturday.

Sunday Services at Local Churches

M. E. Church, South.

Regular services Sunday. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Morning worship at 10:45 a. m. and evening worship at 8 o'clock with sermons by the pastor, Rev. W. J. Parvin. Epworth League at 7 o'clock.

First Presbyterian Church.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. and Christian Endeavor at 7 o'clock p. m. will be the only services held at the First Presbyterian church Sunday. The pastor, Rev. S. D. Harkness, is still enjoying his vacation.

First M. E. Church.

Regular services Sunday. Sunday school at 9:30. No league service in the evening. Morning and evening worship with sermons by the pastor, Dr. J. S. Ford. Miss Marie Jones will sing both at the morning and evening services.

First Baptist Church.

"Christ Pre-eminent" is the subject for the sermon at 11 o'clock a. m., by the pastor, Rev. Lee Harrel. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., as usual. Preaching as usual at 8 p. m. B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. The public is cordially invited to all these services.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

The subject for the lesson-sermon at 11 a. m. is "Mind." Mrs. D. J. Thomas will sing "Love Never Fails," by Frederick Root, at this service. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 8 o'clock. Everyone is welcome to attend all these services.

Christian Church.

Regular preaching services at 10:45 and 8 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. C. J. Miller. Bible school at 9:30. Endeavor at 7 p. m. Morning subject, "The Divine Measuring Rod." Evening subject, "The Life of David." Everyone invited to attend these services. Special music at both services.

DEATH OF JOSEPH FAUST.

Burlington Junction Man Passed Away Friday Evening After Long Illness.

The funeral services for Joseph Faust, an old resident of Burlington Junction, who died at his home in that place Friday evening about 7 o'clock, will be held Sunday afternoon. Mr. Faust is survived by his wife and two daughters, Misses Marie and Cynthia Faust, who live at home, and two children who live at such a distance that they will be unable to come in time for the funeral.

TO BE ON EXHIBIT AT DES MOINES

Herd Bull of C. D. Bellows to Be at Iowa State Fair Next Week and at Lincoln, Neb.

C. D. Bellows will leave Sunday for Des Moines, where he will attend the Iowa state fair. He will have on exhibition at the fair his herd bull, Diamond Goods, and after the fair at Des Moines will take him to Lincoln, Neb., where the bull will be on exhibition.

PRESENTED HOUSE AND LOT.

A Nice Present Received Friday by Mrs. Bert Moore From Her Mother, Mrs. D. T. Garrett.

Mrs. Bert Moore of this city received Friday a present of a nice house and lot from her mother, Mrs. D. T. Garrett of Burlington Junction. The property was purchased by Mrs. Garrett from Irvin Bartram, and is located on South Market street.

Have Guests From Ohio.

Mrs. Aura Smiley and Miss Ethel McFarland of Mt. Gilead, O., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Farmer. Miss McFarland is a niece of Mrs. Farmer. The visitors will be in Maryville until Monday. They stopped in the city on their way home from an extended trip through the west, leaving their home July 2 over the Canadian Pacific railway for Vancouver islands, and going from Victoria to Seattle and the principal cities on the coast to Los Angeles, and made the trip to Maryville by way of Denver, Col.

Guests From Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh H. Lewis of Beardstown, Ill., arrived in Maryville Saturday morning on a visit to Mr. Lewis' brother, M. A. Lewis, and sister, Mrs. W. F. Smith.

Attend the Maryville Business College. It prepares for life. Opens Sept. 3.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

His Sixth Birthday.

Mrs. Wilbur C. Smith entertained a few friends of her son, Forest, Friday afternoon to observe his sixth birthday anniversary. Those present were Alice and Louise Berry, Forest Martin and the honor guest.

Picnic at Hastings Lake.

The S. S. W. club enjoyed a picnic at Hastings lake Friday afternoon, chaperoned by Mrs. Anderson Craig. The other picnickers were Amy and Ruth Walker, Lucile Holmes, Louise Shenkel, Dorothy McDonald, Cecil Fraser and Gladys Owen.

A Beautiful Present.

Saturday, August 24, is the twentieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Frank of this city. In celebration of the day Mr. Frank presented Mrs. Frank with a Hobart M. Cable player piano, which was a complete surprise to the recipient.

Saturday Evening Dinner.

Mrs. N. F. Humber and Mrs. F. J. Yeomans will entertain at 6 o'clock dinner at Mrs. Yeomans' home, 320 East Edward street. Their guests will include Mrs. C. W. Thorp, Mrs. Florence Brockman and daughter, Miss Thelma Brockman of Liberty, Mo. who are guests of the Thorp family.

Friday Evening Dinner.

Mrs. H. T. Crane was hostess of a small dinner party Friday evening at 6 o'clock, complimentary to Mr. Homer Croy of New York, who is visiting in the city. The members of the party were schoolmates in Maryville, and included Mr. Croy, Miss Grace Langan, Mr. Will G. Sawyers and Mrs. Crane's daughter, Mrs. Edward T. Rasmussen of Riverton, Neb.

Auto Parties to Maitland.

Several auto parties from Maryville attended the Maitland fair Thursday. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hutton and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wadley; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wallis, Jr., and Mrs. Wallis' cousin, Miss Irene Hughey of Kansas City; Mr. Will Montgomery, Mr. Bruce Montgomery, Miss Ruth Montgomery, Dr. E. C. Branger, F. R. Marcell and Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Reuillard.

Entertained by Mrs. Claud Moore.

The Dew Drop Inn club was entertained by Mrs. Claud Moore Wednesday afternoon. Not many were present, but those who were spent a delightful social afternoon. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. Those present were Mrs. John Sprague, Mrs. Fletcher Dalby, Mrs. Elmer Baker, and the hostess. The next meeting will be in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Oliver Jones. Subject for study, "Parliamentary Law." All members are urged to be present at the next meeting as there is a business matter needing their attention.

Theater Party and Dance.

Miss Martha Koch entertained a small company of friends with a theater party and dance Friday evening. After the theater, the party went to her home, on East Fourth street, where a dance and luncheon was enjoyed. Those in the company were Miss Carrie Margaret Baker, Mr. Clyde Hutton, Mr. Lieber Holmes, Miss Eleanor Smith, Mr. Andy Criss Cummins, Miss Katherine Carpenter, Miss Frances Keeler, Mr. Eugene Cummins, Miss Mildred Robinson, Mr. Edward Gray, Mr. Frank Cummins, Miss Ora Barmann, Miss Esther Shoemaker, Mr. Oliver Bovard, Mr. Herschel Colbert.

Farewell to Mrs. Irwin.

The members of the P. E. O. chapter entertained informally at dominoes Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. Allender, as a courtesy to Mrs. Harry Irwin, who will leave in a few days for her new home in Los Angeles, Cal. Four tables were arranged for the game. Mrs. N. C. Covey won the prize, a crystal basket containing lavender asters. The honor guest was presented a silver spoon. Those present were Mrs. Irwin, Mrs. Allender, Mrs. J. E. Bailey, Mrs. N. C. Covey, Mrs. J. C. Denham, Mrs. Frank Garrett, Mrs. J. D. Richey, Miss Nelle Conrad, Miss Myrtle Eckles, Miss Mary Evans, Miss Carrie Hopkins, Miss Nelle Hudson, Miss Alice Martin, Miss Maud McMillan, Miss Bertha Ritze, Miss Stella Smith, Miss Mabel Todd.

Miss Gladys Owen went to Ravenwood Saturday to visit over Sunday with Miss Fay Bishop.

WILL BE A LONG BALLOT.

But People Should Be Sure to Vote for the Mill Tax Amendment.

At the November election Missourians will confront an enormously long ballot, which will strike confusion in the minds of the timid. In addition to the list of nominees for office is appended a set of constitutional amendments to be voted upon. There are many of these amendments which may not appeal to the farmer. Will he hesitate at the polls to read each of them? If he is not familiar with them he will be compelled to scratch either yes or no without any reference as to what their success or defeat means to him. That some amendments which are not beneficial to the farmers may be defeated, voters in some districts are being urged to scratch yes on every constitutional amendment because it is known he is not informed well enough to vote intelligently. This is the gravest mistake that ignorance can make. With the rural districts of the state so deplorably in need of adequate schools it would be more than a crime to defeat the school mill tax amendment through such grossly ignorant actions. The adoption of this amendment means the establishment of the state in its rightful position. As it is it now appears thirtieth in the list of states in proportion to its per capita tax for school maintenance. It is due the children that ample school facilities be given them. It is theirs by right of birth under the Stars and Stripes. Ignorance should not be permitted to defeat them of this right, and only ignorance can defeat the school mill tax.

RACE DIDN'T COST ANYTHING.

Dr. Wm. Miles Wallis, Jr., Another Candidate That Didn't Spend Any Money in the Campaign.

Dr. Wm. Miles Wallis, Jr., who secured the Democratic nomination for coroner, filed his campaign expense affidavit Saturday morning. No money was spent by him to secure the nomination. Dr. Wallis had no opposition at the primary.

Death of Skidmore Woman.

Mrs. W. A. Mast died at Skidmore at 8 o'clock Wednesday night, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Clark. Tuberculosis, from which Mrs. Mast had suffered for several months, was the cause of death. She had steadily grown worse recently, and a trip west did her no good.

She is survived by her husband, two small sons and her parents. The funeral was held Friday.

Will Attend Convention.

R. G. Koch of this city left Saturday for Detroit, Mich., to attend the National Retail Monument Dealers' association, which meets in that city next Thursday. Mr. Koch will visit St. Louis, Batesville, Ark., and Chicago before going to Detroit. After the convention he will go to Zanesville, O., to visit his father, R. H. Koch. Mr. Koch will return to Maryville about September 15.

Guests From Illinois.

Mrs. Lizzie Ebelsizer and Miss Mabel Mustain of Blandinsville, Ill., arrived in Maryville Saturday morning for a few days' visit with Mrs. Ebelsizer's sister, Mrs. Thomas Hutchinson. The visitors are returning home from an extended trip in the west.

Visiting in Hopkins.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Allen and son of Evanston, Ill., who have been in the city a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery and other relatives, went to Hopkins Saturday for a brief visit with friends and relatives in their former home.

Returned to Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Bartholomew of Lincoln, Neb., who have been guests at the home of Mrs. Bartholomew's sister, Mrs. Phillip Strauch, living six miles southwest of the city, left for their home Saturday morning.

On Visit in Kansas.

Mrs. George Hammond and daughters left Friday for Linden, Kan., to visit the family of Mr. Hammond's brother, Q. A. Gilmore, who moved to that country a year or so ago from Nodaway county.

Visiting Her Son.

Mrs. Mary Bennett and grandson, Bennett French, went to Bolckow Friday evening for a few days' visit with Mrs. Bennett's son, Editor J. I. Bennett of the Bolckow Herald.

Returned From Kansas.

Attorney M. E. Ford returned Friday night from a few weeks' visit in Sycamore Springs, Kan.

A BIG GRAIN YIELD

CHAS. ECKERT'S RYE CROP AVERAGED 57 BUSHELS PER ACRE.

BIGGEST YIELD OF OATS

Yet Reported Won by W. B. Gex—A 200-Acre Wheat Crop Averages 30 Bushels to the Acre.

The largest rye field yet reported in Nodaway county was by Charles Eckert of this city, who threshed thirty acres of rye this week which made fifty-seven bushels to the acre. This is certainly a good yield of rye, when last year the average yield in this part of the state was only fifteen bushels to the acre. Lester Hood of near Orrsburg had a yield of forty-three and a half bushels to the acre, and he had fifteen acres of it.

The grain crops are something unusual this year. In many vicinities of the county there has never been a threshing crew this summer.

The largest oats yield yet reported is by W. B. Gex, who got eighty-one bushels to the acre from an eleven-acre field. The largest wheat yield was reported by Henry Russell of Hopkins, who had fifty-one and a half bushels to the acre.

Charles Eckert threshed his oats this week and they averaged seventy-five bushels to the acre. Both his rye and oats were put in with a drill.

Roland Alexander of near Orrsburg is threshing a 200-acre field of wheat which he says will probably average thirty bushels to the acre. He had six acres of oats, which made an average of fifty bushels to the acre.

Albert Kennell threshed 82 acres of wheat on the Ruth K. Davis farm, five and a half miles south of Maryville, where he lives. The wheat made 2,000 bushels, and ten acres averaged 40 bushels. Threshed in fifteen hours.

Mr. Kennell also threshed 733 bushels of oats from twenty acres on the farm adjoining, owned by Albert Carr, in two hours. Both threshings were finished in seventeen hours.

Now all that remains for the farmers to have one of the best years is to have a corn crop, and it looks very much this year like it will be a bumper crop. The rains of the last two weeks have improved the corn wonderfully.

A BED SPREAD MADE IN 1816.

Now in Possession of J. J. Armstrong—Will Be on Exhibition at the Street Fair.

A counterpane or bed spread, all hand woven and made in 1816, will be on exhibition at the Maryville street fair in September. It belongs to J. J. Armstrong, who lives near Maryville, and he received it from his mother. The bed spread was a wedding gift that was received by Grandma Armstrong in 1816.

Fred L. Armstrong, a son of J. J. Armstrong, who was in the city Saturday, said that the bed spread was decorated and contains the Stars and Stripes, the bars and other decorations. He said that the family had been offered several prices for it, but that they would not sell it.

On Trip to Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Todd and daughters will leave Monday for Des Moines, Ia., to attend the fair and visit Mrs. Todd's brother, Lloyd Humphrey. They will also visit Mrs. Todd's father, W. E. Humphrey, at Ft. Dodge, Ia., and other relatives at Waukee, Ia., before returning home in about ten days.

Will Go to Des Moines.

Mrs. Rebecca Gray and Edward Gray will go to Parnell Saturday evening. On Sunday they will leave for Des Moines with Mrs. Gray's son, Otis Gray, and his family to attend the state fair, and will make the trip in Mr. Gray's car. They expect to return Wednesday evening.

Short Visit With Relatives.

Mrs. Thomas Flanag of Kansas City, Kan., and nephew, Otis Rundell of Prague, Okla., returned home Friday evening from a two days' visit with Mrs. Flanag's brother, D. W. Criss, and family.

THE WEATHER

Unsettled with probably a shower tonight or Sunday; not much change in temperature.

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On Visit to Des Moines.

Dean G. H. Colbert of the State Normal went to Des Moines, Ia., Saturday to attend the state fair and visit his sister, Mrs. Dr. Graham. Mrs. Graham's husband has charge of the Methodist hospital in that city.

Met Sister From Arizona.

Mrs. Percy Ellis of Stanberry was in Maryville Saturday forenoon to meet her sister, Mrs. O. C. Troutman and two children of Tucson, Ariz., who were going to Stanberry on a visit to her parents.

Is Visiting in the City.

Mrs. L. L. Hanna and daughter, Irene, of Vernon, Texas, arrived in the city Friday night for a visit with her brothers, J. D. and M. E. Ford, of this city, and A. C. Ford of near Quitman.

Crops Are Fine.

T. J. Parle, the Maryville druggist, reports that crops are fine in Nodaway county. He is of the opinion that this year's crop will be far better than for some years.

Went to St. Paul.

Mrs. J. C. Archer left Saturday for a three weeks' visit at St. Paul, Minn., with her son, Blaine Archer. She will attend the Minnesota state fair while there.

Miss Nora Brown of Kansas City, adopted daughter of Mrs. B. F. Anderson, who has been visiting in Maryville the past month with Miss Fay Herndon, returned to her home Saturday morning.

Mrs. E. S. Fannon of near Bedison was in the city Saturday morning to meet Mr. Fannon, who returned from a several weeks stay at the Burlington Junction mineral springs.

Misses Marie and Blanche Landfather went to Stanberry Saturday for a week's visit at the home of their uncle, Frank L. Clayton and their cousin, W. W. Oliver.

Mrs. A. A. Thummell returned to her home in Parnell Saturday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Reavis. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Reavis.

Mrs. J. E. Lash and daughter, Miss Myrline, of Rosendale, returned home Friday evening from a two days' visit with Mrs. J. A. Lash of West Second street.

Miss Ethel Ray and Miss Jennie Diem went to Highland, Kan., Saturday morning to visit Miss Ray's sister, Mrs. Clarence Hopp.

Home Health Club

By DR. DAVID H. REEDER, LaPorte, Ind.

An emergency case—Since this is an age of automobiles, rapid transit and outdoor sports, the emergency case properly equipped is a necessity.

Possessed of an emergency case, containing the articles suggested herein, and good common sense, combined with a knowledge of how to give the Home Health club treatments, you will be able to render first aid to the injured, or to one suddenly stricken with some acute disorder, when the opportunity presents itself, thus relieving a fellow-being from pain or, perhaps, saving life, which act will always be a source of self-satisfaction, and that sort of self-satisfaction is nothing more or less than a proper reward for a kind act, and is in no way reprehensible, but quite the contrary. Besides, in owning and using such a case you will be acquiring useful information, almost imperceptibly.

This case is merely for personal use or home use. More elaborate and extensive one may be devised for schools, camps, factories, ships, mines, etc. It is better to prepare such an important thing before you will have need for it. The sense of providence will indorse that. It is, of course, more necessary that such a case should be on hand where one is not in touch with a drug store. It is handy on an outing and is a sort of insurance against accident. In cases of accident there is always more or less of excitement. Owning such a case, you know just where to go to get what is useful in an emergency.

Never lock the case. You might have trouble finding the key in a hurry, but always keep it where the children or meddlesome person cannot easily find it.

Following should be the contents of the emergency case. Later we will give a paper telling something about the uses of these articles:

Absorbent cotton, 2 4-ounce packages; gauze bandages, 6; cotton bandage, 1 (1 yard square); adhesive plaster, 1 (1 roll 1-inch wide, 5 yards long; iodoform gauze, 1 (1 yard long); gauze bandage, 1 (1 yard square); mustard plaster, 1 dozen; sesqui. chlor. iron sol.; scissors, 1 pair; splinter forceps; antiseptic tablets; rubber tubing (for turniquet or stomach tube), and triangular bandage.

Everything should be wrapped with wax paper to keep it sterile and clean until needed.

Don't wait until you have to have these things before you get them. Have them where they will do the greatest possible good. Have them like the fire department—always ready.

Club Notes.

Ohio—Dear Doctor: I wish to know what to do for hay asthma? I am a man 32 years old; work in a grocery. Affected in August and September.

J. S.

Some years ago the writer picked up a little book, written by a German physician, who is long since dead, and in glancing over it found a brief mention of hay fever or coryza. He suggested that salt was the cause and that sufferers were liberal users of salt on their food.

In his investigations he found that the system and tissues of such a person needed the salt and was crying out for it, and following the demand the sufferer ate large quantities of it. The trouble all arose, he said, from the fact that the salt eaten was not presented in a form that was acceptable to the system or that could be taken up and assimilated by the tissues. He stated further that the salt must be supplied in the proper manner and a cure would surely follow.

The writer himself, at that time being a sufferer from hay fever, saw the point and procured an attenuated preparation of sodium chloride and took small doses four times daily. The result was a most agreeable surprise, for after a few days' treatment the hay fever was gone.

We do not wish to be understood as saying that all cases of hay fever are met with in those who use salt freely, for that would not be true, but the attenuated doses of sodium chloride in sugar of milk can be safely depended upon where indicated.

Among the many measures which contribute to the relief of the sufferer are these: Keep the skin active by frequent bathing, eating and drinking intelligently, deep and skillful manipulations of the muscles of neck and shoulders, and keeping the entire intestinal tract clean and free from waste matter.

Warrensville.—Dear Doctor: Our little boy 21 months old is a large, heavy child and his ankles turn in quite noticeably, so much so that his shoes are run over on the inner side. He did not walk until 15 months old, but now wants to be out of doors walking nearly all day. Will he outgrow it What would you advise?

M. A. L.

I am glad to see that you recognize the conditions as being an abnormal one, and are starting early to correct it. There are very few deformations of children which cannot be corrected if taken in time. There are few deformities that a child will entirely outgrow. The old idea that a child, if let alone, will outgrow most deformities, is responsible for many crippled and deformed adults. Daily on the streets, in the country, country towns, and everywhere one sees this evidence of neglect, carelessness or ignorance, whichever it may be, on the part of those responsible. Many a poor cripple could have been given strong, straight bodies.

It is evident that your little boy has not been getting food which contains a sufficient quantity of bone forming material. Let him play out of doors all he likes. He will thus naturally reduce his own weight and increase the strength of his ankles. Feed him whole cereals; that is, those containing the whole grain, with cream and a little sugar. Also give him plenty of fresh milk to drink. If his ankles do not gradually straighten up within three months write me again.

All readers of this publication are at liberty at any time to write for information pertaining to the subject of health. Address all communications to the Home Health Club 5039 Cottage Grove Ave., Chicago, Ill., U. S. A., with name and address in full and at least four cents in postage.

ONLY THREE BIG CIRCUSES.

Only Three Shows of the First Class Traveling on the Road.

There are only three of the circuses of the first class traveling on the road today. That is, there are only three circuses carrying three rings in which the performance is given. These circuses are the Barnum & Bailey, the Ringling and the Yankee Robinson circus. All of these shows have three rings, two elevated stages and the usual hippodrome track where the races are held. The Robinson circus gives its wild west performance in the hippodrome track. The other two shows do not carry the wild west annex, but give a spectacular performance in addition to the circus.

The Sioux Falls Argus-Leader, speaking of the Robinson circus, states that the performance is on a par with either the Barnum or Ringling circus and states emphatically that the present Yankee Robinson circus will excel the Barnum shows within a few years. They will be at Maryville on August 29.

Left for Des Moines.

A. J. Holt and family, living northwest of the city, left Saturday morning for Des Moines to attend the state fair.

CHICAGO SUNDAY PAPERS
Will be 6 cents beginning September 1st. W. G. A. Edwards, Agent.

Back From Graham.

Homer Croy returned Thursday from a few days' visit with relatives near Graham.

Purchased an Auto.

F. P. Reuillard purchased this week of George McMurray a Buick automobile.

Mrs. W. B. Harris of Mt. Olive, Ill., who has been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Williams, went to Lenox, Ia., Saturday for a visit before returning home.

Mrs. Will Turner and daughter and Mrs. S. M. Barnes of Barnard spent Friday afternoon in Maryville as guests of Sheriff and Mrs. W. R. Tilson.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Wells and daughter, Mrs. Virgil Hunt, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ira Wells, of Ravenwood, were shopping in the city Saturday.

Misses Mamie and Katie Sullivan went to Clyde Saturday to visit over Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Sullivan.

Mrs. A. S. Dodds returned to her home in Bolckow Friday evening from a two days' visit with her sister, Mrs. Helen Hopkins.

Misses Florence and Jennie Pugh went to Guilford Saturday to spend Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pugh.

Miss Margaret Heffern and Miss Alice Donahue went to Stanberry Saturday to visit Miss Donahue's uncle, James Brady.

Willard W. Wood was appointed administrator of the estate of his father, George W. Wood, who died this week.

Miss EffieRickard went to Pickering Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. H. H. McClurg, and brother, Oliver Rickard.

A marriage license was issued Saturday to Carl W. Stuart of Stanberry and Mary E. Pittsenbarger of Barnard.

Mrs. Al Dragoo went to Pickering Saturday to visit Miss Lanta Moberly.

SAVED FIVE FROM DEATH IN TUNNEL

Automatic Brakes Stopped Train With Two Engines.

CREW OVERCOME BY GAS FUMES

Fireman on Northern Pacific "Pusher" Proves Himself Hero, and Succeeds in Rescuing all Alive.

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 24.—Faint and dizzy from the fumes of coal gas in the inky blackness of Stampede tunnel, John Denise, a fireman on the Northern Pacific railroad, kept his head, husbanded his strength and by sheer grit saved five lives.

Denise was fireman on a "pusher," helping shove a heavy freight train through the tunnel. Midway the air hose broke, the brakes set automatically and the train came to a standstill. Searching for the break, the conductor and brakeman were stupefied by gas from the forward end and fell.

None to Help.

Half dead, the brakeman crawled back to the rear end with word for Denise. The latter ran 20 car lengths to where the conductor lay. He was too weak to carry the conductor, but he dragged him back to the cab. There he found his engineer stupefied and the brakeman helpless.

It was beyond his strength to lift the conductor to the cab, so he left him lying on the floor of the tunnel, cut out the "pusher," and, with the engineer and brakeman helpless in the cab, shot for the west portal of the tunnel.

Outside he found four Italian section hands with a handcar. They helped him lift out the engineer and brakeman, and then he drafted them for another plunge into the gas filled tunnel.

Engine Crew Overcome.

On the first trip they brought out the conductor, still breathing. Back they went again, reaching the forward engine, where fireman and engineer were both overcome. This time Denise cut out the forward engine and raced for the eastern portal.

There they met passenger train No. 5, stalled by the block signals. Conductor O'toole turned his train into an emergency hospital and brought Denise and the five men he had saved back to the Northern Pacific hospital in Tacoma, where they arrived early in the morning. All will recover.

PUT TO DEATH FOR MINOR CRIME

Chinese Execute 500 a Month in Canton—All Courts Impose Capital Punishment.

Canton, Aug. 24.—More than 500 death sentences have been executed here in the last month, including many for all manner of petty offenses. The police, the military commander, the naval authorities and the courts all exercise the right to impose and execute capital sentence. Death is the penalty for gambling, false representation, piracy, theft, extortion, selling arms without license, joining anti-government organizations, treason, murder and harboring criminals.

Heinze Sued for $100,000.

Spokane, Wash., Aug. 24.—F. Augustus Heinze of Butte and New York was sued for $100,000 for libel by Edward J. Carter of Spokane. Carter alleges he was libeled in a statement sent by Heinze to the stockholders of the Stewart Mining company, of which he is president, declaring that Carter had demanded 25,000 shares of the stock of the company and had threatened to sue Heinze if refused.

Counts on "First Voters."

Chicago, Aug. 24.—Eugene Chafin, candidate for president on the Prohibition ticket, expressed the opinion that the Prohibition ticket will get 1,000,000 of the 5,000,000 "first votes" cast this year.

PANAMA CANAL NEAR FINISHED

Figures Indicate 6,903,000 of Excavating Remain to Make Great Work Complete.

Washington, Aug. 24.—The figures showing the amount of excavation to be done on the Panama Canal indicate that great work was five-sixths finished August 1, but there actually remained 6,903,000 cubic yards more earth to be removed than had been estimated for a year before.

That apparent backward movement is explained in the official records by a large amount of siltage in the canal bed, which must be removed from the finished tunnels and also by extensive excavation for dry docks, coaling stations and terminals at Balboa, which were not taken into account in the original estimate.

Major Ray May Be Promoted.

Washington, Aug. 24.—President Taft sent to the Senate the nomination of Maj. Beecher B. Ray to be deputy paymaster general with the rank of lieutenant colonel. Mr. Taft also sent to the Senate the nomination of Lewis K. Torbet to be naval officer of customs in the Chicago district.

Bainums to East Fourth.

E. H. Bainum and family will move Monday to the residence at 302 East Fourth street just vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Irwin. The apartments in the residence of Mrs. R. H. Perry, 403 East Third street, vacated by the Bainum family, will be occupied by D. N. Scott and family, who have been living in the Buhler flats, over the Schumacher grocery. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Collins will go to housekeeping in the Buhler flats.

Purchased a Cadillac Car.

Mayor Arthur S. Robey was in St. Joseph Friday, and while there purchased a 1913 Cadillac car. It will not be delivered until October.

Mrs. Gertrude Nussbaum of Bolckow, who has been visiting her relatives, the families of D. D. McDermott and Frank Fanning, east of Maryville, and with relatives at Burlington Junction and in Iowa, returned home Friday evening. She was accompanied by Miss Bertha Fanning and Flossie Fanning of Conway, Ia., who will visit their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fanning of Bolckow.

Mrs. O. E. Miller and two sons returned to their home in Barnard Friday evening from a two days' visit with Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hartman, and her sister, Mrs. Vance Westfall.

Mrs. Anna Turner, mother of M. A. Turner, who has been spending the past three months in St. Joseph with her daughter, Mrs. S. J. Ames, returned home Saturday noon, accompanied by Mrs. Ames.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Seeley and Miss Ida Seeley, living four and one-half miles northeast of Maryville, went to St. Joseph Friday evening to visit Mrs. Anna Sultzer and Mrs. Seeley's brother, John Nowling.

Miss Laura Gregory of Clarinda visited in Maryville Saturday forenoon with Miss Amy Clark, and went to Hopkins to visit her father, T. M. Gregory.

Mrs. Nick Craig of St. Joseph, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. J. Schraub, went to Stanberry Saturday to look after some property interests.

Mrs. J. T. Roberts and daughter, Vida Drain, went to Hopkins Saturday to visit Mrs. C. W. Gray and Mrs. Roy David.

Are Ever at War.

There are two things everlastingly at war, joy and piles. But Bucklin's Arnica Salve will banish piles in any form. It soon subdues the itching, irritation, inflammation or swelling. It gives comfort, invites joy. Greatest healer of burns, boils, ulcers, cuts, bruises, eczema, scalds, pimples, skin eruptions. Only 25 cents at the Orear-Henry Drug Co.

See the twenty miles match motorcycle race at the Maitland fair ground next week, Tuesday, August 27, after the fair, between Ralph Bates, the colored boy of Omaha, and Glen Smith of St. Joe. Also fifty miles of professional races.

Normal Supplies, special prices at **Crane's**

SPRAY YOUR APPLES.

That is the Remedy and It Should Be Done, Says Secretary Wilson.

"Spray your apples," was the slogan given to members of the American Apple Growers' congress, which met in annual convention at St. Louis Thursday, by Thomas C. Wilson, secretary of the Missouri state board of agriculture and secretary of the congress, which he founded ten years ago.

"Too many apple growers plant their trees and then trust to Providence," Wilson said. "That is why apple crops are not as good as they were years ago. We now have to contend with insects and fungi, which had not affected the trees then. Spraying is the remedy and the thorough fruit raiser realizes it and sprays his trees. Take, for instance, Arthur T. Nelson of Lebanon. He is a thorough fruit grower and sprays his trees. As a result he is harvesting one of the best crops in the country, while several orchards in his vicinity, where the owners did no spraying, have practically no crop."

Flying Men Fall

Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles just like other people, with like results in loss of appetite, backache, nervousness, headache, and tired, listless, run down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that, as T. D. Peebles, Henry, Tenn., proved. "Six bottles of Electric Bitters," he writes, "did more to give men new strength and good appetite than all other stomach remedies I used." So they help everybody. It's folly to suffer when this great remedy will help you from the first dose. Try it. Only 50 cents at the Orear-Henry Drug Co.

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Penn. Hard Nut, per ton	$10.25 to $10.50
Ark. Grate, per ton	8.00 to 8.25
Wyo. Lump, per ton	6.50 to 7.00
Illinois Lump or Nut (Franklin county)	4.50 to 4.75
Illinois Sootless Lump, per ton	4.25 to 4.50
Iowa Lump (Centerville)	3.75 to 4.00

Man at Burlington to sell and do weighing.

WOOD

Good hard cord wood	$5.00 to $5.50—sawed $6.50
Soft wood, per cord	4.50 to 4.75—sawed 5.50

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Buying hay by car lots, ship from any shipping point. Let me know if you have any for sale. I am paying highest market prices for good marketable hay.

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Here are some special prices. Better than have been quoted for a long time:

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Shorts, good white	Per ton, $28.00; per cwt, $1.45
Bran, good fresh	Per ton, $21.00; per cwt, $1.15

Yours for business,

Wm. Everhart

SAID SHE WOULD FAINT

Mrs. Della Long Unable to Stand On Her Feet More Than a Few Minutes at a Time.

Pendergrass, Ga.—Mrs. Della Long, of this place, in a recent letter, says: "For five or six years, I suffered agonies with womanly troubles.

Often, I couldn't sit up more than a few minutes at a time, and if I stood on my feet long, I would faint.

I took Cardui, and it helped me immediately. Now, I can do my work all the time, and don't suffer like I did."

Take Cardui when you feel ill in any way—weak, tired, miserable, or under the weather. Cardui is a strength-building tonic medicine for women.

It has been found to relieve pain and distress caused by womanly troubles, and is an excellent medicine to have on hand at all times.

Cardui acts on the womanly constitution, building up womanly strength, toning up the nerves, and regulating the womanly organs.

Its half century of success is due to merit. It has done good to thousands.

Will you try it? It may be just what you need. Ask your druggist about Cardui. He will recommend it.

H. B.—*Write to:* Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for *Special Instructions*, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

Mrs. R. M. Terrell, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. George E. Fleming, for several weeks, returned to her home in Hopkins Saturday. She spent Saturday afternoon in Pickering to attend the Rebekah lodge meeting there.

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You may be having trouble that is caused from eye strain.

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DEBATE IN HOUSE DELAYS CONGRESS

Murdock Fights $35,000 Appropriation for Mail Service.

MAY SPOIL ADJOURNMENT PLANS

Argument Will be Continued at Morning Session—Absentees Hurriedly Sent for to Complete Quorum.

Washington, Aug. 24.—Plans for adjournment of congress were threatened by the house in a determined fight of Representative Murdock of Kansas against an appropriation of $35,000 for the mail service on Eads bridge across the Mississippi river.

The bridge connects East St. Louis and St. Louis, and is owned by 15 corporations. Murdock made aggravating scenes for members anxious to go home when he insisted on a point of no quorum and forced a hurried call for absentees. The attack on the bill came during the consideration of the conference report of the postoffice appropriation bill, which the senate already had adopted.

Says Trust Controls Bridge.

Murdock said a trust controlled the Eads bridge, the same trust that operated the Merchants' bridge, and that there was no reason why such a payment should be made to the Eads Bridge company. Representative Boon of Tennessee and Representative Weeks of Massachusetts, the house conferees, replied that the appropriation just about covered the actual cost of the service to the bridge company.

Murdock suggested that the supreme court of the United States had declared the Eads Bridge company a trust. Moon replied that, trust or no trust, the government should deal fairly and justly with it. The speaker overruled Murdock's request for unanimous consent for a separate vote on the amendment in dispute.

May Mean Another Week.

Murdock then made the point of no quorum and the score of members voiced their indignation across the house chamber, and Representative Mann, Republican leader, and others sought to dissuade Murdock. An insistence upon a quorum at this time may mean throwing adjournment of congress over into next week.

After the rollcall had proceeded some time, it became apparent that not even an approximate quorum could be obtained and the house adjourned until 10 o'clock in the morning. It was generally understood after adjournment that Murdock would not renew his vital point of no quorum, in which event the Democratic leader will be able to carry out their adjournment program, but he would not admit it.

The house leaders, taking no chances, sent messages to absent Democratic representatives to rush back to Washington to insure a quorum.

MAIL CAR BANDIT IDENTIFIED

Nervy Robber Proves to be Ex-Mail Clerk—Now Runs Fruit Farm in Oregon.

Kansas City, Aug. 24.—R. S. Brauer, in charge of the postoffice inspection department here, obtained information that fixed the identity of the lone bandit who attempted the robbery of the Union Pacific train as it left the Union station.

The bandit is William Loundsberry. Loudsberry worked as a mail clerk out of St. Paul, Minn., for 14 years. About five years ago he quit the service and went to Oregon, where he has been running a small fruit farm. Information received at the office of the postal inspectors here connects Loundsberry with the robbery of a railway mail car in California last January.

After the information Mr. Brauer had obtained had been sent to Topeka, the man admitted his identity.

TOBACCO GROWERS FEAR RAIDS

Kentucky Night Riders Show Renewed Activity—Planters Warned to Join Association.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 24.—The night riders who terrorized the greater part of Kentucky four years ago, have renewed activities in the western part of the state and in an effort to stop them before they do harm, a court of inquiry will be held by authorities in Trigg county. No violence has occurred so far but warning notes are being sent tobacco growers telling them to join the tobacco associations.

Kills Two for Love.

Horton, Kan., Aug. 24.—Homer Thompson, a retired farmer, shot and killed Mrs. Hattie Jackson, 40 years old, here because she refused to marry him. He then killed himself. The woman had been divorced only a month.

French Airmen to Fly.

New York, Aug. 24.—The French aviators, Auburn, Schneider, Vedrines, Provost and Frey, who will take part in the International Aviation cup contests at Chicago, will reach New York next week on the liners Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse and Lorraine.

E. H. TENNYSON D'EYNCOURT

Mr. d'Eyncourt has just been appointed director of naval construction at the British admiralty and will superintend the building of the king's naval vessels. For twenty years he has been connected with great ship building concerns, but he has never before held public office.

WILL ASK BELL DISSOLUTION

GOVERNMENT READY TO SUE PHONE COMBINE.

Company Will be Offered Opportunity to Conform to Sherman Law Before Suit Begins.

Chicago, Aug. 24.—Suit for the dissolution of the Bell Telephone interests, headed by the American Telegraph and Telephone company, is contemplated by the government. The suit will be a civil action under the Sherman anti-trust law. It will be filed either in New York or Chicago.

Special government investigators have been working securing information about the telephone "combine" several months and are now already to make a report to the department of justice.

It is said that the company will be given a chance to dissolve itself before suit is begun. The suit will charge that the corporation is a trust and it will be alleged that the Bell company has absorbed the independent companies and that it maintains a virtual monopoly in the telephone field.

It's alleged partial control of the Western Union Telegraph company will be shown and it will be pointed out that through the Western Electric company the Bell interests enter the manufacturing field.

The American Telephone & Telegraph company owns, according to the latest available list, $405,359,400 par value of the $441,733,402 total stocks of the 37 companies.

DOUBLE HEADER TRAIN IN WRECK

Eleven People Injured When Missouri Pacific Left Rails Near Ottawa, Kan.

Ottawa, Kan., Aug. 24.—Eleven persons were injured two severely, when passenger train No. 3, westbound, on the Missouri Pacific was derailed three miles east of Ottawa. The wreck was caused when the tender of the first engine of the train left the tracks and caused the derailment of the second engine and the coaches.

Engineer Burns tried to jump when his engine left the track. He was caught and held by parts of the machinery and was scalded by escaping steam. The head engine remained on the track. The baggage, express and smoking cars were partly telescoped. The track was torn up for about 200 yards. The severely injured were taken back to Osawatomie, while the other passengers were brought to Ottawa.

GUNBOAT MUST HURRY TO COLON

Navy Urged to Hasten Departure of Transport Prairie—Dispatches all Delayed in Transmission.

Washington, Aug. 24.—The state department is urging the navy to take every step possible to get the transport Prairie started for Colon. The navy is doing its best, but the marines the ship is to carry cannot be collected before another 24 hours.

Dispatches are from 24 to 48 hours late in transmission. Each seems to indicate more aggravated conditions. The gunboat Denver will land about 100 bluejackets and steam to San Juan Del Sur, where the cable station is located. Then the navy will be in direct communication with the Annapolis and Justin at Corinto.

Found Delirious in Box Car.

Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 24.—After two days in which he was delirious with typhoid fever, and too weak to make himself heard, Andrew Nelson was taken from a box car here. Switchmen heard his moans. Nelson, who is a railway laborer, climbed into the box car Tuesday at Farmington, Minn., it was discovered. The car was in the local yards for two days, shunted from track to track. He was taken to a hospital, where it was said he probably will die.

PORTLAND MUST CLEAN HOUSE

City Officials Inactive, Governor Starts General Vice Crusade.

TO USE MILITIA IF NECESSARY

West Determined to Make City Morally Clean "If it Takes Till January, 1915," When His Term of Office Ends.

Portland, Ore., Aug. 24.—Governor Oswald West served notice on the authorities of the city of Portland and Multnomah county that he proposed to institute a moral "house cleaning" in Portland next Monday with the help of the local authorities if they will give it, without it if they do not care to assist, and in spite of them if they try to block his efforts. The governor said he was going to "clean up" Portland if it took him until January 9, 1915, the day his term of office expires.

The governor arrived here from Salem early in the day and at once telephoned to Mayor A. G. Rushlight, Chief of Police E. A. Slover, District Attorney George J. Cameron and Sheriff R. L. Stevens to meet him in the mayor's office. All except the sheriff were present. He sent word he was "too busy."

To Use Special Deputies.

Rushlight and Slover told the governor that they did not take much stock in his program. They advocated, as the only solution, the creating of a restricted district, and asserted that nothing would be accomplished by a crusade except to drive police characters from one hiding place to another.

The governor adhered to his position and the local authorities to theirs. Then the governor announced he intended to put two special deputies into the district attorney's office to conduct the prosecution.

"You will if they suit me," Cameron replied.

"I will anyhow," retorted the govetrnor. "I am going to have somebody in there who won't 'double cross' me. You 'double crossed' everybody you ever came in contact with."

Milita a Last Resort.

Remarking on the absence of Sheriff Stevens, West asserted that he intended to take possession of the sheriff's office by force if necessary. Later the governor was asked if he intended to call out the national guard to do it.

"As a last resort," was the reply.

Asked why he had not attended the meeting, Sheriff Stevens said:

"The governor is merely trying to advertise himself. I am too busy with my own work to help him in his scheme."

SHOWED POLITICAL HONESTY

Oklahoman, Successful in Contested Election, Withdrew in Favor of Opponent.

Muskogee, Ok., Aug. 24.—In Haskell county two young lawyers, Foster V. Phipps and Niel B. Gardner, were Democratic candidates for county attorney. It was a close race. When the ballots were counted it was found that Phipps had won by a nine-vote majority. Gardner believed illegal votes had been cast and the nomination his. He filed a contest. A recount was ordered and Gardner had a majority of three over Phipps. A Gardner representative agreed with the election board that the intent of the votes was sufficiently plain to show that they wanted their ballot cast for Phipps. Gardner learned of this, turned in the election certificate tendered him and stated that he did not want to accept the nomination. So Phipps may be the next prosecuting attorney.

This is the only instance, save one, where a candidate made the primary race, was nominated and then withdrew in favor of his opponent.

YOUNG GIRL FORETOLD DEATH

At Iola Camp Meeting, Iva Golden Shouted Warning—Within Three Hours Prophecy Was Fulfilled.

Topeka, Aug. 24.—Miss Iva Golden, 20 years old, of Iola, at a camp meeting here shouted to the congregation: "The Lord has revealed to me that the death angel is hovering over a certain person in this building and before the sun sets again that person will have passed away."

Within less than three hours after this prophecy was made Mrs. F. W. Rogers, wife of a wealthy farmer of McLouth, died in the park.

After the meeting Mrs. Rogers retired in her tent, apparently in the best of health. At 1:20 a. m. she died. Her death is attributed to heart disease.

In explanation of her prophecy, Miss Golden said it had been revealed to her and she felt it her duty to tell the meeting.

Jap Ruler Honored.

London, Aug. 24.—King George conferred the Order of the Garter on Emperor Yoshihito, Japan's new ruler. Prince Arthur of Connaught, eldest son of the governor general of Canada, will present the insignia to the emperor after the funeral, September 13, of the late Emperor Mutsuhito.

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2. I care not if clouds dim the blue of the skies, 'Tis sun - shine to me, when you're near!..... There's bliss in the glance of your beau - ti - ful eyes, That beam with a light soft and

May..... But these to my heart bring no joy half as sweet, As one lov - ing glance from your
clear..... I live but to dream of you, day - time or night, Your love is the whole world to

eyes, For sun - shine is there and all glad - ness com-plete, No mat - ter how dark are the
me! With you by my side all the fu - ture is bright, And life is a calm Sum-mer

skies.....
sea.....

Tempo di Valse

Refrain.

(You are the star that guides my way,
(Shad-ows may come but naught care I,

rit.

You are my bea - con light al - way, You have my heart what - e'er be - fall,
You bring to me the Sum - mer sky, You are my dream by night and day,

1 2

You are the sweet - est dream of all;
You are the star that guides my way.

rit.

1st verse. 2d verse.

D.S.

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Call for Progressive Party Convention.

To the Members of the Progressive Party in Nodaway County: Gentlemen—You are hereby requested to assemble in convention at the Empire theater in Maryville, Mo., on Saturday, August 31st, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing ten delegates and ten alternates from this county to attend the state convention of the Progressive party in St. Louis, Mo., on Sept. 3d, 1912, and represent Nodaway county in said convention.

Also for the further purpose of nominating a full Progressive ticket for the offices of representative, sheriff treasurer, prosecuting attorney, judge of the north district, judge of the south district, surveyor and coroner, all of said offices to be filled at the election this coming November.

The county convention herein called will also take such steps as may be deemed best looking to the completion of a Progressive party organization in Nodaway county.

This county convention will be a mass convention, and every voter of the county who is a member of the Progressive party will be entitled to be present and participate.

The downstairs or main floor of the theater will be reserved for the members of the party, and no person will be admitted to said floor until he has delivered to the doorkeeper a ticket in the form which will be prepared and furnished by the county committee, and which ticket must be signed by the party desiring admission, and also state his residence, that he is a voter in Nodaway county, a member of the Progressive party, and that he will support at the polls in November the Progressive ticket, national, state and county. Blank tickets may be secured of the committee on the day of the convention. The gallery of the theater will be open to the public, unless it should be necessary to clear it to make room for members of the party.

Witness our hands this 22d day of August, 1912, by order of the Nodaway county Progressive committee.

W. W. GLASS, Chairman.
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Returned From Pennsylvania.

A. T. Clark returned Saturday morning from Reynoldsville, Pa., where he went ten days ago to accompany his daughter, Mrs. Harry Reed, of Los Angeles, Cal., with the body of her husband to that place for burial. Mrs. Reed will remain with her husband's relatives for about two weeks, when she will return to Los Angeles to settle up business affairs, stopping in Maryville on the way.

And Meat So Dear.

At 1 o'clock he stood in front of a bulletin board and read the fragmentary news from the convention. Under his arm he carried a bundle. "It's liver for dinner tonight," he explained. "I ought to be getting home with it before it spoils in this heat." His car came along just then, but a new bulletin went up, so he stayed.

At 4 o'clock he was seen watching for his car with one eye, and reading a new bulletin with the other. The bundle under his arm looked moist and worn. "I really must take the next car," he declared. "The folks in Kearny expected me home at noon. I'll just wait till I get the result of this ballot and then I'll break away."

At 7 o'clock he turned from the board with a sigh of disappointment. "I hoped the nomination was coming that time, sure," said he. Still watching the bulletins, he started for his car.

On the way to the corner he tossed his bundle into a wastepaper can.—Newark News.

Beware the Death Flower.

Scientists setting out to solve the mystery of the mammoth statues of Easter island have been cautioned—more or less humorously—to steer clear of El Banoer, another island of the Pacific. One of the early English explorers, Hugh Arkwright, who sailed the Pacific in 1581, warns travelers against visiting El Banoer—the home of the death flower. This flower, he says, is so large that a man can stand upright inside one of its blossoms. But if he does so he will surely fall asleep, lulled by the strange fragrance it distills. Then the flower folds its petals and suffocates him. "And so he passes into death through splendid dreams and gives his body to the death flower for food."

King George and the Collier.

While the king was looking at a seventeen-year-old pit pony which had been brought up for his inspection, the pony proved somewhat restless. "I expect the daylight worries him," said the king. "No, sir," replied the miner, "it is the headstall he dones't like. He can't see your majesty plain enough.—London Spectator.

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JUDGE MARTIN J. WADE, IOWA:

"For the first time since the state was admitted to the Union, Iowa will this year give its electoral vote to the Democratic nominee for president."

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hiles of Burlington Junction were Maryville visitors Saturday.

Miss Hilda Hansen of Arkoe was shopping in Maryville Friday.

Today's Markets

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Cattle—200. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 19,000.

Hogs—5,000. Market strong to 5c higher; top, $8.85. Estimate tomorrow, 30,000.

Sheep—200. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—200. Market steady.

Hogs—500. Market strong to 5c higher; top, $8.62.

Sheep—None.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—None.

Hogs—1,500. Market strong to 5c higher; top, $8.62.

Sheep—150. Market steady.

Home From Hospital.

Miss Mary Angell, daughter of D. F. Angell, has returned home, after a month's stay at St. Francis hospital, where she was operated on. She is recovery nicely.

Miss Margaret Williams of Pickering went to Ravenwood Saturday to visit her daughter, Mrs. L. T. Loch.

Miss Nell Tobin of Burlington Junction arrived Saturday for a few days' visit with Miss Alma Hotchkiss.

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Miss Ora Eckles went to St. Joseph Friday evening for a few days' visit with Miss Grace McAnulty.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Porter and children of near Orrsburg were shopping in the city Friday.

A marriage license was issued Saturday to Carl A. Johnston and Lucy J. Hale of Quitman.